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J. S. DENNIS,  
Deputy Commissioner.  
Regina, August 2nd, 1898.

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## "The Country Boy,"



is often the subject of a good deal of ridicule at the hands of the "town folk," and his first visit to the city is always a refreshing topic for the lighter moments. But our opinion is that there is very little difference between the "country boy" who went to a hardware store for a soda water drink and got a dose of washing soda instead, and many who go shopping to-day. Of course the boy made a sad mistake in going to the wrong store and paid the penalty—just like many of his seniors who should know better. A drug store is the place to buy drugs, a hardware store the place to buy hardware, a dry-goods store the place to buy dry goods, and "The Model Grocery Store" is the place to buy your groceries. We want you to remember this when making out your shopping list. We earn our living by selling groceries, hence it would not pay us to sell you an inferior article, or ask a price that would not bring you back again.

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Chocolate and Tan,	\$1.50 and \$1.75 for \$1.20
Tan Shoes.....	\$1.25 for \$1.00
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GET our quotations on Sugars. Car load just placed in stock. You'll need lots of it for the fruit season. Fruit sealers in pints, quarts and half gallons—close prices as we bought before the \$3 per gross advance. Also special prices on all canned vegetables, fruits, fish, etc. Canned Salmon roasts. Money saved is money earned. We can save it for you in many ways—Get our Prices.

## ROBINSON AND HAMILTON.

## Important to Farmers!

We have received two car loads of the Celebrated Zess Patent Cultivator—the best cultivator on earth. Why have the Government Weeds Inspector calling on you when you can buy this "sudden death to the weeds cultivator" from the undersigned.

C. A. GASS, Agt.

GIVE US A CALL.

## OUR OTTAWA LETTER

### THE QUEBEC CONFERENCE A MOST IMPORTANT

Event—The Personnel and the Programme—Our Next Governor-General—Canada's Fruit Commissioner—Another Small But Useful Reform of Mr. Mulock's.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, July 29.—In a few days, or at most a week or two, the Quebec Conference will be in session, and it is difficult to estimate the extent of the benefits that may reasonably be expected to accrue to those participating in this most important convention. Not only will the occasion be a gratifying one, as indicating the vast improvement in the feeling between the British Empire and the States, which has made such a gathering possible, but it is also of more than ordinary home interest to Canada, as the preliminary discussion upon the action of the Government, which led to the meeting being arranged, has produced less partisan cavilling than perhaps any other act of the present administration. It would be pleasant to believe that in all matters where it is to the advantage of Canada that her people should present a united front, this demeanor of the Opposition should be set as the standard.

### THE PERSONNEL AND THE PROGRAMME.

The importance of the gathering may be seen at a glance from its personnel. On behalf of the Motherland the Imperial Government has sent Lord Herschell, twice Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain; Canada will be represented by her Premier (Sir Wilfrid Laurier), Sir Richard Cartwright, Sir Louis Davies, and Mr. John Charlton, and Newfoundland by her Premier (Sir James Winter), or Receiver General A. B. Murrie. On the other side the United States will send General John W. Foster, John A. Kasson, Nelson Dingley, Senator Gray, Senator C. W. Fairbanks, and T. J. Coolidge.

The list of questions which in all probability will be considered also gives one the idea of the tremendous importance of the gathering. The Trade Relations, the Behring Sea Dispute, the Atlantic Fisheries, the Preservation of the Fisheries, the Definition of International Boundaries, the Bonding Privilege, the Alien Labor Law, these are some of the items on the bill of fare. More than one of these has created trouble and been a perennial source of irritation since the Declaration of Independence, and all of them have for many years occupied the best efforts of the keenest and most trained statesmen of both Empires, but never before have these questions been approached in the spirit of mutual good will and reciprocal confidence with which they will now be treated; and as these sentiments must always be the strongest influences in the settling of disputes, there is better hope to-day than ever in the past that the Quebec Conference of 1898 will go down in history as one of the grandest epoch making events of the century. That it will accomplish all that is hoped of it, it is scarcely reasonable to expect, but the very fact that our Government has been able to bring about such a meeting entitles them to the gratitude not only of Canada but of the Empire at large, and evidences are not wanting that this fact is appreciated both at home and abroad.

### THE STORY BEARS REPEATING.

The story of Manitoba's splendid progress is becoming almost monotonous in its unvarying completeness, but it is a pleasant page to dwell upon. Mr. W. D. Scott, Provincial Immigration Agent in Ontario for the Prairie Province, who has just returned from a trip to the West, corroborates everything that has been said of the magnificent outlook. "Crops are going to be heavy," "Business is active in all lines," "Land is selling well," "There is work for all who want it," "Everybody seems to have money," "It has been a great year for settlers," and so on. Such is the epitome of his report. Settlers are coming from every where, he says. New districts recently opened up are filling rapidly. The class of settlers is all that can be desired—even the poor Galicians are going to turn out all right.

### CANADA'S FIRST FRUIT COMMISSIONER.

A better selection than that made by the Department of Agriculture of Mr. A. McD. Allan, "the fruit king," of Goderich, as Fruit Commissioner at the Paris Exposition of 1900, could not possibly have been made. Mr. Allan's life work has been the study and culture of fruit, and both in practical and theoretical knowledge of horticulture Mr. Allan is

probably without a peer in Canada and without a superior in the world. His past services to Canada warrant the present recognition. In 1896 he was Fruit Commissioner to the London Colonial Exhibition, and as the result of his work 100,000 barrels were placed in the old country; besides which he secured orders in many parts of Europe and even in India. As president and director of various organizations, having for their object the improvement of Canadian fruit and the development of the trade, Mr. Allan has done prominent service, not only to his native Province of Ontario, but in other parts of the Dominion, the Provincial Fruit Growers' Association of British Columbia being one outcome of his efforts. The opportunity was never more favorable for splendid development in the fruit trade between Canada and the old country, and in no better hands could it have been placed.

### NOTES.

One of the smaller but at the same time most useful reforms introduced into the postal service by Mr. Mulock is now in full running order, viz., the special delivery scheme; and there has been quite a demand for the special stamp which has been prepared in connection therewith. It should be pointed out that to avail themselves of this arrangement the public must use the special ten cent delivery stamp, which is in addition to the regular postage. It is not sufficient to use ten cents worth of ordinary stamps as the great purpose of the special stamp is to draw the attention of the officials and thereby secure the prompt attention which the new arrangement contemplates.

The announcement that the Earl of Minto has been chosen as Lord Aberdeen's successor receives additional interest from the fact that as Lord Minto, he came to Canada with the Marquis of Lansdowne and served under General Middleton as chief of his staff in the North West rebellion. During his previous residence here Lord Minto gained golden opinions both in civil and military circles, and he therefore comes back to fill the gubernatorial position with all the prestige and advantage that obtained.

Prof. Saunders, director of Experimental Farms, has left on his annual tour of inspection through the West. He goes from here to Brandon and then on to Agassiz, where he will meet Prof. Fletcher, Dominion Entomologist. Dr. Saunders will be away five weeks.

Mr. Finance Minister Foster has gone West and expects to address public meetings at all important points en route to the coast. It is rumored that his chief topic will be "The Fulfillment of My Promise That God Shall Make Inevitable Rain."

Great reports are coming in of the tremendous shipping business being done this season by Canadian liners. All the Montreal boats report congested traffic both in passenger and freight. Halifax, St. John and Victoria are having similar experiences and the lake ports were never busier.

### Pioneer.

Pioneer, Aug. 2.—The crops are looking well and the farmers are all working smiling faces. The stubble is almost completed in this district. Roads have been ploughed or graded and culverts put in where needed. This work will be an improvement to the settlement, especially when the roads are used most when they are stopped owing to the large fields of grain through which they pass. Wood Inspector Green has returned from his trip through Eastern Manitoba and is now making his round through this district. Alex Zess has given his new barn a coat of paint. It is much improved in appearance and is a credit to the community. Miss Ethel Beard spent a few days last week as the guest of Miss K. Glasford. A large number of our citizens contemplate taking in the farmers' excursion to Indian Head and anticipate having a pleasant trip. Alex Zess has received a couple of carloads of his cultivators, which are much appreciated by the farmers of this district. One can be seen on almost every farm, playing havoc with the weeds. This is an implement the absence of which has long been felt, as the noxious weeds have been making considerable headway on some of the farms.—We are pleased to notice that the country has not been belied in the recent teachers' examination held in your town, there being one from Bohara and one from Pioneer who were successful in obtaining thirds. Miss Gertrude Maynard, of Westview, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Maharg. J. W. Glasford has purchased the farm formerly owned by Jon Shields, who is now in Edmonton. He purposes cultivating it next season.

W. H. WALKER.



# ONE WEEK'S NEWS.

Wednesday, July 27.

Four persons were drowned near Vancouver.

The steamer D. L. Mather was burned at Rat Portage.

Hons. Chinese ambassador to Berlin, has been recalled.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen were at Vancouver on Tuesday.

The Austrians, arrested at Havre in connection with La Bourgogne disaster, have been discharged.

General Miles' expedition landed at Port Gaudin, Porto Rico.

Douglas Pilgrim, aged 8 years, was drowned in the Red river.

Several buildings were struck by lightning and destroyed in Ontario.

Several cases of tuberculosis in cattle are reported from Elgin, Ontario.

Spain has made peace proposals to President McKinley, through the French ambassador, M. Cambon.

Thursday, July 28.

Hon. William Mulock will be knighted.

Evans MacColl, the Scottish-Canadian poet, is dead.

Hon. E. G. Foster expresses confidence in western mines.

A long service medal will be granted to Canadian volunteers.

Crops are slightly damaged by hail at Portage la Prairie.

New customs regulations are issued regarding sportsmen's outfits.

Spain will protest against the United States invasion at Porto Rico.

Lord Herschell, chairman of the Quebec conference, arrived at New York.

E. T. Hooley makes serious charges against British peers and newspaper editors.

Friday, July 29.

August 10th is mentioned as the date of the Quebec convention.

Manitoba last year's wheat crop exceeded 25,000,000 bushels.

The garrison and people of Guantanamo are dying of starvation.

Shafter's army will be returned to the United States as soon as possible.

M. Loekroy, French minister of marine, has ordered an investigation of La Bourgogne disaster.

The United States government will probably answer Spain's peace proposals Friday or Saturday.

Saturday, July 30.

Crops were damaged by hail north of McGregor.

General Miles captured Ponce, Porto Rico, without resistance.

The meeting of the Quebec conference is fixed for August 23rd.

The Irish local government bills passed in the house of lords.

Spain will not consent to cede Porto Rico to the United States.

Judge Dugas, of Montreal, is appointed to the Yukon bench.

Furious storms are reported on the northeast coast of Great Britain.

President McKinley has not framed an answer to Spain's peace proposals.

The Mosses brothers were committed for trial for murder at Port Arthur.

French scientists will attempt the trip from Skagway to Dawson City by balloon.

Philippine natives resident in Great Britain appeal to the U. S. not to restore Spanish rule.

Monday, Aug. 1.

Bismarck is dead.

Professor Caird, of Glasgow, is dead.

Archbishop Walsh, of Toronto, died suddenly.

Several Yukon river steamers are disabled.

The Mosses brothers Indian murderers, confessed their guilt.

The murderers of the Marquis de Moros have confessed.

General Miles' campaign in Porto Rico is a triumphal march.

Hooley's charges of bribery caused great excitement in London.

Members of the Legion of Honor are resigning in sympathy with Zola.

Terms of peace have been agreed upon by President McKinley and M. Cambon.

Tuesday, August 2.

General Merritt reports a grave situation at Manila.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen were welcomed at Calgary.

Porto Ricans are welcoming General Miles as a deliverer.

Judge Dugas denies his appointment to the Yukon bench.

Prince Bismarck left specific instructions as to his burial.

United States troops had a skirmish with the Spaniards near Manila.

The imperial government will organize a naval reserve in Newfoundland.

A French resident of Moncton, N. B., challenges a Minneapolis man to a duel.

The Spanish government are considering their reply to the United States terms of peace.

It is reported that General Augusti is prepared to surrender Manila to Admiral Dewey.

A sad accident occurred at Langenburg recently, by which a three year old child, belonging to Mr. Eiseler, a German resident, lost its life. The child was missed by its parents, and on search being made it was discovered with its head in a tub of water near the house, and on being taken out it was found that life was extinct. It is supposed the child on looking into the tub overbalanced itself and fell in.

There was a severe wind storm up Howe Sound, B. C., Tuesday. One boat swamped and four occupants drowned; names unknown.

## JOHN ARTHUR'S WARD, OR THE DETECTIVE'S DAUGHTER.

By the author of "A Woman's Crime," "The Missing Diamond," etc.

### CHAPTER V.—A SHREWD SCHEME.

An elegant apartment, one of a suite in a magnificent block such as are the pride of our great cities.

Softest carpets of most exquisite pattern; curtains of richest lace; lambrequins of costly texture; richly-embroidered and velvet-covered sleepy bellows and lounging chairs; nothing, in fact, that did not betoken abundant money to ease and pleasure; downy cushions; rarest pictures; loveliest statuettes, finest bronzes; delicate vases; magnificent, full-length mirrors; a bookcase, itself a rare work of art, containing the best works of the best authors, all in the richest of bindings—nothing here that the most refined and cultivated taste could disapprove, and yet everything bespoke the sylvanite, the voluntary. A place wherein to forget that the world held aught save beauty; a place for luxurious revelry and repose filled with lotus dreams.

Such was the bachelor abode of Lucian Davlin, as the glowing gas lights revealed it on the dark night of the arrival of this gentleman in the city.

Moving restlessly about, as one who was perfectly familiar with all this glowing richness, only because movement was a necessity to her; trailing her rich dress to and fro in an impatient promenade, and twisting recklessly meantime a delicate bit of lace and embroidery with plump, white fingers—a woman waited and watched for the coming of Lucian Davlin.

A woman, fair of face, hazel-eyed, sunny-haired, with a form too plump to be quite classical, yet graceful and prepossessing in the extreme. A very fair face, and a very wise one; the face of a woman of the world, who knows it in all its phases; who is able, in her own peculiar manner, to guide her life successfully, if not correctly, and who has little to acquire in the way of experience, save the art of growing old gracefully and of dying with an acquiescent conscience.

No unsophisticated girl was Cora Weston, but a woman of eight and twenty; an adventuresome by nature and by calling, and with beauty enough, and brains enough, to make her chosen profession prosperous, if not proper.

She paused before a mirror, carefully adjusting her fleecy hair, for even in pressing emergencies such women never forget their personal appearance. This done, she pondered a moment, and then pulled the bell. A most immaculate colored gentleman answered her summons, and, bowing low, stood waiting for her will.

"Henry, is it not time that your master were here? The train is certainly due; are you sure he will come? What did he telegraph you?"

"That he would arrive on the one o'clock express, madame; and he never fails."

"Very well. If he does not appear soon, Henry, you must go and inquire if the train has been delayed, and, if so, telegraph. My business is imperative."

The well-trained servant bowed again, and, at a signal from her, withdrew. Left alone, she continued her silent march, listening ever, until at length a quick footstep came down the passage. Flinging herself into the depths of a great easy chair, she assumed an air of listless indifference, and so greeted the new comer.

"Gracious heavens, Cora! what brings you here like this? I thought you had sailed, and was regretting it by this time."

He hurried to her side and she half rose to return his caress. Then sinking back, she surveyed him with a lazy half smile. "I wonder if you are glad to see me, Lucian, my angel; you are such a hypocrite."

"He laughed lightly, and threw himself into a seat near her. "Candid, Cora, you are not a hypocrite—with me," and he looked admiringly, yet impatiently, at her. "Come," he said, at length, as she continued to tap her slender foot lazily, and to regard him silently through half-closed lashes: "what does it all mean? Fairest of women, tell me."

"It means, Mon Brave, that I did not sail in the Golden Rose; I only sent my hat and veil."

"Wonderful woman! Well, thereby hangs a tale, and I listen."

"I came back to see—"

"Not old Verage?" he interrupted, maliciously.

"No, hush; he saw me safely on board the Golden Rose—very gallant of him, wasn't it?"

"Rather—yes, considering. And if I did not know Miss Cora Weston so very well, I should be surprised at all this mystery; as it is, I simply wait to be enlightened."

"And enlightened you shall be, Monsieur."

She threw off her air of listlessness and arose, crossing over and standing before him, leaning upon a high-backed chair, and speaking rapidly.

Lucian, meantime, produced a cigar case, lit a weed, and assuming the attitude and manner she had just abandoned, bade her proceed.

"You see, she said, "I did not like the idea of quitting the country because of a little difference of opinion between myself and an old idiot like Verage."

"A difference of some thousands out of pocket for him; well, go on."

Just so, comrade mine. Well, fortune favored me; she generally does. I learned, at almost the last moment, that a lady of my acquaintance had taken passage in the same vessel. I interviewed her, and found her in the condition of the good people in novels who have been better days; her exchequer was at low ebb, and, like myself she had reasons which induced her to emigrate. I did not inquire into these, having no reason to doubt the statement, but I accompanied her on board the Golden Rose, bade her a fond farewell, and bequeathed to her my street apparel and a trifling sum of old Verage's money. In exchange, I donned her bonnet and veil, and adopted her rather awkward gait, and so had the satisfaction of seeing on my return to form

upheld and applauded by a woman, his fitting companion by nature or education. She is unscrupulous as he, daring as he, finding him victims that his arm could not reach; plying the finer branch of a dangerous but profitable trade; sharing his prosperity, rescuing from adversity; "salvaged" because necessary, and, knowing her value, fearing to rival her.

Cora was beautiful in Davlin's eyes, and secure in his affections, because she was valuable, even necessary, to him. He cared for her because in so doing he was caring for himself, and placing any "card" in her hands was only the surest means of enlarging his own pack. While she, for whether a woman is good or bad she is ever the slave of her own heart, recognizing the fact of the mutual benefit resulting from their comradeship, and improving, in her character of a woman of the world, every opportunity to profit by him, yet she saw in him the one man who possessed her love. Though the life she had led had worn out all the romantic tendencies of her nature, and had turned the "languishing of her eyes" into sharp glances in the direction of the main chance, still she lavished upon him the best of her heart, and held his interest ever the equal of her own. After the manner of such, they were loyal to each other.

"Then," pursued Lucian, "listen, and a tale I will unfold."

In his own way, he proceeded to describe the intended victim, his home, his wealth, his state of solitude, together with the facts he had gathered up here and there relative to his leading characteristics and weaknesses, whereby he might be successfully manipulated by skilled hands. The boldness of his plan made even Cora start, and instead of her usually ready decision and answer, she favored him with a wondering, thoughtful stare.

"You see," concluded Lucian, "he can't live forever at the worst, and the estate is a handsome one. You could easily make yourself queen absolute of the situation, and go and come at your own sweet will. I think as a good brother I should be a magnificent success, and an ornament to your country mansion in the hay summer."

"And if I don't approve of the speculation after a trial, I can commit suicide or vanish," Cora said, meditatively.

"Just so," laughed he; "and take the spoons."

"You are sure there are no incumbencies, perfectly sure of that?" she questioned.

"Perfectly sure. There was a step-daughter, but she ran away with some foreigner," here he smiled, and veiled his eyes, less she should read aright his expression. "He would not give her a penny, or a crust of bread, were she to return. He hated her from her earliest day; but she is not likely to reappear in any case."

"If she should, you might marry her, you know," she suggested maliciously.

"So I might," he said, shutting his eyes again; "and we would all settle down into respectable members of society—charming picture. But, jesting aside, how do you like the prospect?"

She tossed away her cigarette and, rising, paced the room in silence for a few moments.

Lucian whistled, softly, a few bars from a favorite opera, then lit a fresh cigar, and puffed away, leaning lazily back and watching her face furtively out of half-closed eyes.

"I think," she said, resuming her seat, "that I will take a nearer view of this 'prospect' of yours."

He nodded his head and waited for her to proceed.

"I think the role of widow might interest me for a little time, so I'll take myself and my 'delicate constitution' down to your promising haven of rest. I'll 'view the landscape o'er,' and the prospect of an opportunity for a little sharp practice will make my banishment more endurable; of course, my resignation will increase as the situation becomes more interesting."

"Which it is sure to do," he said, rising quickly and crossing to the window. "The thing is as good as done; you always accomplish what you undertake, and you'll find the game worth the powder. The fact is, Cora," he continued seriously, "you and I have differed so many delicate little affairs successfully, here in the city, that, as a combination, we are pretty well known just now; too well, in fact, for our own ease and comfort. Your supposed trip to Europe was a lucky thing, and will throw all officially-interested ones off your track completely. I shall make this merely headquarters, in fact, and 'prospect' like yourself, in fresh fields. And now, it being nearly morning, and quite too early for you to be on your victorious march, let us consider final ways and means."

In a concise, business-like way, they arranged and discussed the result of the whole being briefly this:

Cora would drive at early dawn to a suburban station, and from thence go by rail to a village midway between the city and her final destination; and there await her luggage, and the arrival of Lucian. He would join her shortly, and proceed with her to Bellair, in his character of brother; see her comfortably settled, and leave her to her new undertaking.

And thus it was that in the gray of morning a veiled lady, sweet-voiced and elegant in manner, stepped from a close carriage at a little wayside station, and sped away at the heels of the iron horse.

And thus it was that Lucian Davlin, re-appearing in Bellair and listening in well-simulated surprise to the story of the sudden disappearance of John Arthur's step-daughter, effectively put to flight any idea—forming in the brains of the few who knew, or conjectured, that these two had met—that he had sought to do with her mysterious Blitting. In truth, none save old Hagat knew of the frequency of their clandestine meetings, and she never breathed to others the thoughts and suspicions that haunted her brain.

And thus it was, too, that Cora Weston, in her new role of languishing widow, secluded carefully from the vulgar gaze, heard never a word of Maudie's flight. And when, in due time, she was revealed to her, none save old Hagat could have named the precise date of the event. So even wise Cora never connected the fate of the unfortunate girl with the doings of Eustacia Davlin.

(To be continued.)

He Had Him There.

Old Gentleman—What! Let you have Ethel? Why, she is my only daughter. Ardent Lover—Yes, I know, and I am her only beau.—New York Truth.

## ABOUT CANADA.

### INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT THE DOMINION.

Canada's Produce Increasing Rapidly—Her Income About \$37,000,000 a Year—Other Interesting Facts.

The Dominion of Canada has just entered upon her fourth decade of Confederation. The "Mail and Empire" quotes the following statistics of the growth of the Dominion since Confederation: compiled by Mr. Frank Veigh.

Canada's area is three and a half million square miles—one twelfth of the land area of the world. Over a million square miles are yet unexplored. Twenty-eight United Kingdoms and sixteen Germanys could be placed within its boundaries. Excluding Alaska, it is larger than the United States. It is nearly double Britain's Indian possessions, and larger than the Australian colonies. It is large enough to provide each member of its population with one and a quarter square miles.

Prince Edward Island is the baby province—2,000 square miles; British Columbia is the largest—382,000 square miles, with a 7,000 mile coastline. Canada has a 13,000 mile coast line.

Canada has a waterway of 2,384 miles from the St. Lawrence to the head of Lake Superior—one of the longest continuous stretches of inland navigation in the world.

Canada has a population of over five millions.

Canadians are a home-grown people. Four of the five millions (84 per cent.) are Canadian born; half a million (10 per cent.)—were born under the British flag; only 157,000 (3 per cent.) were foreign born.

Canada has 100,000 Indians—41,000 Protestants, 420,000 Roman Catholics, 17,000 pagan. Ten thousand Indian children are being educated in 383 schools, aided by the government with \$300,000.

Nearly two million (41 per cent.) are Roman Catholics; 850,000 (17 per cent.) Presbyterians; 500,000 (13 per cent.) Church of England.

Canada has one and a quarter million square miles of forest. Her forest production per last census was eighty million, nearly 75 per cent. of British Columbia and 50 per cent. of Ontario is woodland.

CANADA'S PRODUCE.

Canada's agricultural exports have reached \$50,000,000. Cheese alone amounted to nearly \$15,000,000, supplying Great Britain with two-thirds of all the cheese she imports. Canada produced 60,000,000 bushels of wheat in 1897. She has the largest wheat field in the world—600 miles long, 300 miles wide. Acres of land under cultivation in Canada, 28,000,000. Canada produced about 15 bushels of wheat per acre in 1897. Forty-five per cent. of Canadians are engaged in agricultural pursuits. Agricultural exports in 1898, \$20,000,000; in 1897, \$20,000,000.

Canada's fisheries yield her \$20,000,000 a year. They employ 70,000 men. The plant is worth \$10,000,000. Nova Scotia comes first as a fishery province. New Brunswick second, British Columbia third.

Canada's mines produced \$35,000,000 in 1897, viz: Gold, 1,900,000; silver, \$3,332,000; copper, lead and nickel, about a million and a half each; coal \$7,285,000 (4,000,000 tons). Her coal bearing area is 100,000 square miles. Fifteen thousand miners all told are employed. British Columbia has produced \$60,000,000 of gold in 40 years. Nova Scotia's 40 mines have produced \$12,000,000.

Canada's Yukon gold fields include an area of 135,000 square miles. The estimated yield for 1898 is from ten to twenty millions.

TRADE AND FINANCE.

Canada's total volume of trade has risen from \$131,000,000 in 1867 to \$257,000,000 in 1897. Of this latter sum, \$111,000,000 was transacted with the United States, and \$96,000,000 with Great Britain.

Canada's trade is rapidly increasing. The calendar year of 1897 showed an increase of \$57,000,000 of both exports and imports.

Canada's income is about \$37,000,000 a year.

Canada's public debt has increased from \$75,000,000 in 1867 to nearly \$260,000,000 in 1897, or \$30 a head. Yearly interest on public debt \$10,000,000. Taxation (customs and excise) \$5,42 per head, as compared with \$10.50 of the United Kingdom, and \$14.72 of Australia.

Canada's railways, in 1898, 2,278 miles; in 1899, 10,000 miles—5,000 more than Australia. There are 141 railways and 81 controlling companies. Paid up capital, nearly a billion. Gross earnings \$24,000,000; expenses \$15,000,000; passenger traffic \$18,000,000; freight traffic 25,000,000 tons.

Canada has spent over \$200,000,000 on railways, contributed from the national exchequer, from provinces, and from municipalities.

The Canadian Pacific Railway is 6,314 miles, 1,400 longer than the great Siberian railway, as planned to cost 75 millions. Canada gave the Canadian Pacific Railway 63 millions miles long; the government aggregate 1,385 miles.

Canada has 72 miles of canal, costing \$83,729,000 for construction, enlargement and maintenance, or over a million a mile.

Canada had 425 lighthouses and light stations in 1897; it has 1,400 now.

Canada has 29,000 miles of telegraph line, more than either Italy, Spain or Turkey, and 69,000 of wire.

Canada has a militia force of nearly 40,000, including 700 Mounted Police in the Northwest.

Canada's post offices numbered 2,833 in 1867, and 9,197 in 1897. Letters and post cards carried, in 1897, 133 millions; papers, packages, etc., 37 millions.

BANKS AND CAPITAL.

Canada has increased her post office savings banks to 735, in which 130,000 persons have on deposit \$9 millions, and in government savings banks 19 millions or 48 millions in all—about \$10 per head.

Canada's chartered banks hold 100 millions on deposit. Bank note circulation has risen from 9 millions in 1867 to 30 millions; bank capital aggregated 41 millions.

Canada's life assurance companies have 400 millions of insurance in force, divided among 11 life companies and 10 assessment companies; 25 millions are on deposit with the government for protection of policy holders.

Canada has 2,297 registered vessels, with a gross tonnage of 139,292 tons, valued at 25 millions.

Canada stands fourth among the maritime nations in tonnage of shipping owned and registered in the country.

Canada has a high-grade public school system. It has 17,000 schools, with a million pupils. It has 54 universities and colleges, with 11,000 students enrolled. Seventy per cent. of all the people of all ages read; 40 per cent. of all adults can write.

Canada is planning big things for the future: settlement of the great Mackenzie, development of the mineral and other resources, deepening of the canals, improvement of transportation inland and on the oceans, extension of trade with the Mother Country.

Canada took a step forward and upward in the Jubilee year. She is now the junior member in the well-known firm of John Bull & Co.

Canada has made great strides during her first 30 years of Confederation. Who is prophetic enough to forecast the next 30 years of progress and prosperity.

THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Strange Customs and Peculiarities of the Natives.

Clotted rags are used for brooms. Cattle are no larger than goats. Women cross their arms in prayer. Hairs are worn only by foreigners. All the women smoke large cigars. Spanish soldiers march barefooted. The natives bathe three times a day. Water buffaloes are used for plowing. Manila was founded by Legazpi in 1571. All the inhabitants fall asleep at mid-day. Knives and forks are unknown in the islands. Freedom of speech is absolutely prohibited. Manila is pronounced Man-ee-la by the natives. Indians and Chinese patronize the home bar lines. In 1645 the city was nearly destroyed by an earthquake. A fashionable delivery for the natives is the grasshopper. The poorer classes rate themselves in one yard of cloth, which is common. The common laborer receives as much as 10 cents a day. Mosquitoes are more formidable than Spanish gnatcatchers. Electricity is used for illuminating purposes in Manila. Manila has paid \$4,000,000 to England as ransom. The yearly output of cigars from the Philippines is 500,000,000. The chief occupation of some of the savage natives is murder. The streets of the capital city are under water much of the time. Manila is considered commercially equal to California and Batavia. Visitors to the islands are not permitted. The earliest was Magellan. The high quality of the indigo is well known throughout the world. The oil of the cocon is used for lighting purposes throughout the islands. The mosquitoes are more dreaded than earthquakes, typhoons or plagues. The land is fertile, but the natives are too indolent and ignorant to cultivate it with the best results. Hundreds of persons have been sent to the penal settlements, and even deprived of life. Slaves are a curiosity. The few that are raised in the islands are too small to breed. The male half-breed wears trousers and a shirt. The latter is not confined in the trousers. The streets of Manila are unpaved. During the rainy season they are impassable. The mosquitoes have been caused by overgrazed and a spreading rate of taxation. The British captured Manila in 1762 with a fleet of fourteen ships, and held it for fifteen months. Delinquencies are shipped at the post, beheaded, and their property confiscated. The atmosphere of Manila has been likened to the source of noxious and the bite of red pepper. It is estimated there are 1,396 islands in the group. There has been no official counting. The three years the United States in possession of these islands have averaged \$7,000,000 a year. Prince de Kinnar, Governor of the islands, made an enormous fortune out of gambling losses. The capital of the Philippines is Manila. It has a population of 260,000 and over 80,000 in the suburbs. In the Philippines they have barter as large as cash. Their value is low, and they have high prices. The wealth of the man who wears a shirt is estimated by the number of the texture and the way it is worn. Manila is the only fortified. There are long lines of heavily fortified batteries and some forts along the bay. The streets of the city are lined with massive stone houses, marble churches, and airy outcrops in tropical groves. For 300 or 400 years immigrants in the islands have been increasing in numbers and strength of physique. General Weyler was Governor of the islands for four years. He won \$1,000,000 out of his annual salary of \$40,000.



## DOMINION BRIEFS

## A BURGLAR SENTENCED TO THE PENITENTIARY.

A Foxboro Farmer Breaks His Neck—Firelocks at Sidney—Bitten by a Sow—Other News.

Saturday, July 28.

Fire did \$10,000 damage at Roberval, Quebec, Friday.

Nominations for mayor and councilors for the new village of Dauphin will take place on Tuesday next, the 2nd prox.

The local government are doing a rushing business in hay permits. The demand for hay land is large and competition keen.

Friday while Parker Pilon, of Foxboro, was heading peas his horse started, throwing him to the ground and breaking his neck. He died instantly.

Ten four-story houses were burned down at Grande Mere, last night. Twenty-three families escaped in their night clothes. There was very little insurance and no casualties.

Detective Rogers and Provincial Constable Whalen arrived at Port Arthur Friday morning with three squaws, who are to give evidence in the Mosses brothers' case. Two of them are sisters.

Samuel Betts pleaded guilty to burglarizing Philip Jamieson's house and was sentenced to three years' in the penitentiary. Betts was captured in Detroit and the police charge him with forty burglaries in Toronto.

The Queen's hotel, Ridgetown, was badly damaged by fire last night. The building was insured for \$9,000 and the contents for \$8,500. The fire was caused by a guest dropping a lighted lamp on the floor of his room.

A tramp who was stealing a ride on a west bound freight a few days ago had his foot badly smashed at Sidney. He was riding between two cars and his foot was caught between the draw-heads and severely crushed. He was carried to the caboose by the train hands and taken to the Brandon hospital.

The men under arrest at Nanaimo in connection with the Dominion bank robbery, were all brought before Magistrate Daly Friday morning and remanded until Monday next for preliminary examination. None of the prisoners' counsel were present at the meeting which was held in the waiting room of the jail. All the prisoners looked well.

While Macgregor, aged 12 years, and son of John MacGregor, of Ridgetown, was spending a day in the country, he was attacked by a ferocious brood sow. The animal had bitten his arm and wrist in a terrible manner when his attention was diverted by his dog going in the direction of his house. By the time she returned from the pursuit of the dog the boy had managed to get on the top of a fence.

It is quite evident that Sidney, Man., is infested with firebugs. There is no doubt but that O'Reilly's elevator fire a few months ago was the work of an incendiary. The other night Mr. R. Pearson, blacksmith, had a pile of wood about six feet from his shop and in close proximity to Mr. McElrea's lumber yard set on fire and by a neighbor who was coming home late, seeing the fire and giving the alarm the shop and in all probability McElrea's lumber and stable would have been destroyed.

When in doubt as to what to say suppress your thoughts.

## Fusion Ticket.

Fargo, July 27.—The fusion committee of the Populist and Democratic parties of North Dakota, met here to night and placed the following state ticket in the field: Congress, Col. P. M. Cree; Devil's Lake; governor, H. M. Holmes; Grand Forks; lieutenant-governor, Dr. Bentley; Bemarck; supreme court, C. J. Fisk; Grand Forks; treasurer, Thomas Bolton; Walsh; auditor, Charles J. Bade; Richland; secretary of state, Samuel Tugerson; Traill; insurance commissioner, W. M. Campbell; Barnes; superintendent of public instruction, C. C. Schmidt; Jamestown; commissioner of agriculture and labor, Alfred Whipple; Lisbon; attorney-general, S. B. Bartlett; Casselton; railway commissioners, Harvey Novener, Stutsman; Nels. H. Bjornstad, Dickey and Robert Fleming; Cavalier.

The thickening of the plot frequent y thus the audience.

## Steamer Seized.

Washington, D. C., July 27.—The French embassy called the attention of the state department to the circumstances connected with the seizure of the French merchant steamship Olinde Rodriguez and requested the immediate release of the steamer.

## CANADA IN BRITAIN.

Principal Dominion Government Agencies in the United Kingdom.

The high commissioner for Canada states that the following are the principal Canadian government agencies in the United Kingdom. Mr. A. F. J. W. Murray, 52 St. Enoch Square, Glasgow; and Mr. C. R. Devlin, commissioner of immigration, 14 Westmoreland street, Dublin. There are other government agents as follows: Mr. W. L.

Griffith, 10 the Walk, Cardiff; Mr. John Grant, Parkhurst, Dumfries; Mr. W. G. Stuart, 66 South Guildry street, Elgin; Mr. E. O'Kelly, 12 Clarendon street, Londonderry, and Mr. J. Webb.

## GEO. ALLAN, OF WESTON, KILLED BY C. P. R.

James D. Kelly, a Lineman, Killed by an Electric Shock—The 30th Battalion Band Has Disbanded.

Thursday, July 28.

The 30th battalion band has disbanded.

The Kingston penitentiary investigation is still in progress.

Montreal bicyclists meet on Friday evening to take steps to secure the world's championship meet.

Sir Prest Rivers Wilson and Mr. Price, of the Grand Trunk, have sailed from England to inspect the road.

James Kay, of Guelph township, leaves an estate of \$113,000 to Wm. James Kay, his five year old nephew.

James D. Kelly, Peterboro, Lineman of the Bell Telephone Co., was killed through a shock from a wire causing him to fall from a pole.

Geo. Allan, a deaf and dumb pedlar of Weston, walking on the railroad track near here was struck by a C.P.R. express and instantly killed.

The Markham Sun, recently edited by the late W. H. Hall, was sold to its new proprietor, A. F. Pennell, who was formerly connected with the Hamilton Journal.

A contract has been made with the Bennett Lake navigation company, of Victoria, for the carriage of Canadian and United States mails between Bennett and Dawson. All classes of matter will be handled.

The Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen left Vancouver for Vernon Wednesday afternoon. They spent a busy morning among the charitable institutions of the city, and received and replied to more addresses.

May and Marion Robertson, Peterboro young ladies, were canoeing at Toronto Island Wednesday. The waves of a passing steamer upset the craft. Marion was rescued by A. Wilkes, steward, who jumped from the steamer. May was drowned.

Joe Girard, aged seventeen years, entered his employers' store at Montreal, and began rifling the safe. Payette, who is a grocer, caught Girard and the boy fired two shots at him from a revolver. Payette fell on the floor, pretending to be wounded and the boy forced him to a place of secrecy at the point of the pistol. Girard is arrested for attempted murder. It is a case of reading time novels.

A slight hail storm passed over Portage la Prairie Wednesday night, which at the time seemed of no importance. However, slight damage was done to the crops west of the town. C. E. Grobb will probably lose one-third of his crop. Messrs. Hector and the Gibbons' crops are reported slightly damaged. The storm began about five miles west and passed along the west of this town and over the river. It is stated that not over five per cent of the crop was injured.

An accident occurred at the new Cowan block, Portage la Prairie, Wednesday afternoon. W. Western, who was engaged in nailing a board on the third story, slipped and fell to the ground, a distance of over thirty feet. He struck the ground on his head and shoulders. When picked up his head was almost doubled under his breast, and blood was coming from his mouth. He was removed to Dr. Milroy's office, and an examination showed no bones were broken, but large abrasures of the skin, arm and thigh. He will likely recover.

## Allans May Get It.

London, July 27.—The Daily Mail learns that the Anglo-Canadian fast steamship line project is dead so far as Peterson of Newcastle on Tyne is concerned and it is probably that the Allans will now get the contract.

## Cheaper Telegraphing.

The new copper wire along the line of the Canadian Pacific railway, which has been in course of construction during the past three months, will very shortly be completed to the Pacific coast. This will afford increased telegraph facilities, and in view also of the early completion of the wires along the Crow's Nest railway into the Kootenay district, which will give the C. P. R. another route and greatly facilitate the handling of messages, the Canadian Pacific Railway company's telegraph announces a reduction of rates to take effect August 1st.

From Winnipeg and other Manitoba offices, and from Territorial offices as far west as Moose Jaw, to Roseland, Nelson, Robson, and all offices in the Kootenay district, the rate which has been for ten words, \$1.15 day and \$1 night, is reduced to \$1 day and 75c night.

From Medicine Hat, Edmonton, Macleod, etc., the reduction is from \$1.10 day or night.

From Calgary, Banff, etc., the rate which has been 90c night is reduced to 60c day and 40c night.

Another reduction which will also be greatly appreciated by patrons of the C. P. R. Co's. Telegraph, will be a single rate of 25c for ten words, from Manitoba offices to points on the Dauphin railway. At present the rate is 25c for each line, but as soon as a wire can be strung from Winnipeg to Portage la Prairie to connect the two systems the reduction will be made.

The following appointment has been made by the Ontario government: Hugh Munro, Port Arthur, to be clerk of the first division court of the district of Thunder Bay, vice Neil McDougall, resigned.

## Capital Notes.

Ottawa, July 29.—The date of the international conference has been definitely fixed as August 23rd. Washington dispatches have given it as August 10, but this turns out to be incorrect. A cabinet council was held today at which arrangements were completed for the meeting at Quebec. The ministers present were: Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Messrs. Mills, Fielding and Scott. The first three named having returned from their vacation for this purpose.

KETTLE VALLEY RAILWAY. Notice will appear in the Canadian Gazette tomorrow of a new application for the incorporation of the Kettle Valley Railway company. Corbin's bill met its fate last session in the house and now the fight is to be renewed. This indicates that Corbin has not sold out to the C. P. R. as has been stated.

COMING WEST. Col. Sam Hughes and Geo. McCormack, M.P. for Muskoka, are on their way to British Columbia to look after their mining and lumbering interests there.

The minister of justice contemplates a trip to the coast later in the season.

## Vancouver News.

Vancouver, July 29.—The royal mail steamer Warrimoo left this evening for Wellington, N. Z., by Sydney, N.S.W.

Geo. N. Munro, said to be one of the Detroit "Flying Roll" gang, was arrested here, charged with selling immoral literature.

It is reported that rich placer fields have been discovered between Teshu Lake and Glenora.

Sensational reports recently sent to Ontario regarding an accident to the steamer Capitano and her tow, Lightning, are incorrect. As a matter of fact the Capitano was uninjured while the Lightning was so little damaged that she proceeded under her own steam to St. Michael's.

Vancouver, July 29.—John Beaton was drugged in Stevenson and was then robbed of \$925. Today two hotel proprietors, John Beatty and Jos. Balmor, together with A. Allison, appeared in the police court, charged with robbery. They pleaded not guilty and were allowed on bail.

A party of scientists, headed by Dr. Terwage, left for Skagway this afternoon by the Rosalie. At Skagway they will fill with gas a balloon they have with them, and will attempt to reach Dawson City by the air route. They will look out for Andree, and also report on Klondike.

Vancouver, July 28.—Marshall Vanalstine pleaded guilty this afternoon to bigamy; sentence deferred. He had a wife in Saratoga, Cal., and yet married Mrs. Clara Perry here. His first wife's maiden name was Katie Wolfe.

Some eighty men who went north from Seattle are looking for a man named Bridges with a gun. Bridges was to take the men up to the gold ground at the head of Naas river. He got \$3,000 from them. He took the men as far as Portland, Canal and then they found he had fooled them. They asked for an explanation at the pistol's end, but Bridges defied them. He skipped in the night and came south on a passing vessel. Some of his victims returned on the steamer Catch this afternoon.

## Winners at Bisley.

Bisley Camp, July 27.—The following sums were won by Canadians: Sgt. Armstrong, 80 shillings; Col. Sgt. Blair, 120; Sgt. Broadhurst, 120; Lieut. Crooks, 40; Private Davidson, 60; Lieut. Forbes, 60; Lieut. Gilchrist, 220; Staff Sgt. Hayhurst, 40; Capt. Hutchence, 252; Private McVittie, 220; Gunner Miller, 53; Lieut. Robertson, 405; Lieut. Ross, 199; Sgt. Simpson, 440; Sgt. Spencer, 200; Private Swaine, 30. For team shooting Sgt. Broadhurst won 295; Sgt. Armstrong, 245; Lieut. Ross, 240; Sgt. Simpson, 235, and others made lesser sums.

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## Archbishop Walsh Dead.

Toronto, July 31.—Archbishop Walsh died tonight at twenty minutes to eleven from heart failure. He had been poorly for a few days from the results of an accident a week or two ago, but had expected to be up in a day or two. Dr. Dwyer of St. Michael's hospital, was summoned hastily about half-past ten and he and Eugene O'Keefe were with him at the time of his death.

## The Prince Improving.

London, July 27.—The Prince of Wales is progressing so favorably that it has been definitely decided to remove him to Cowes on Saturday.

## Hooley Contradicted.

London, July 28.—Counsel for the Earl of Winchelsea in a letter published in the newspapers here, makes a formal denial of the statement made by Mr. Ernest Terah Hooley, the bankrupt companies promoter, in court yesterday that he paid the earl \$50,000 for acting as chairman of one of the bicycle manufacturing concerns.

## Ambassador Recalled.

Berlin, July 26.—The sudden and unexplained departure from Berlin of the Chinese ambassador here, Hsue has caused a sensation here. He embarked on board the North German Lloyd steamer Lahn, at Bremen yesterday, bound for China, by way of the United States. The members of the diplomatic corps believe Hsue has incurred the displeasure of the authorities at Peking by alleged incapacity, displayed during the recent negotiations between Germany and China on the subject of Kiao-Chow Bay and other matters.

## Death of Evan MacColl.

Toronto, July 28.—Evan MacColl, the "Bard of Lockfyle," widely known as an eminent Scottish-Canadian poet, died at his home in this city on Sunday, 24th inst., at the age of 90 years. He wrote in English and Gaelic and his books sold well, so that edition after edition was called for. He was an honorary member of several Scottish and Gaelic societies, and a member of the Royal Society of Canada.

## Obituary.

Washington, July 29.—The state department has just received news of the death of Mrs. Ophelia Coleman, wife of the president of Liberia, in the executive mansion at Monrovia, on June 24 last. She was a native of Arkansas, and emigrated to Liberia in 1895, where she was married to President Coleman the following year.

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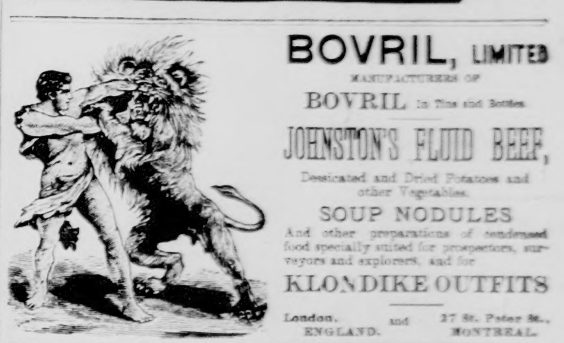
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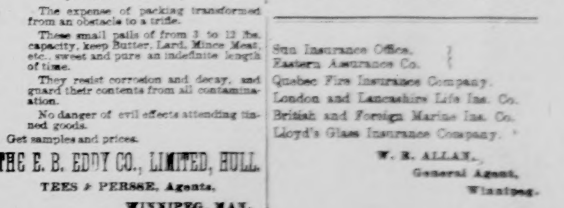
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Would it were worthier!"—Byron.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1898.

A noxious weed paragraph of a particularly pleasing form is this from the North-West Magazine, St. Paul: "It is an interesting fact that nothing more is heard of the Russian thistle, which a few years ago threatened to take possession of the Dakotas, and so alarmed the farmers that special laws were passed by the Legislatures to check its inroads. It cannot have been exterminated so soon by cutting down or digging up the plants, for it got a good start on many school sections and other unoccupied land where nobody has a direct interest in its destruction. Nature herself seems to have disposed of the pest. It seems to have followed the law of some diseases in the human system, which run their course and work themselves out. W. F. T. Bushnell, the editor of the North Dakota Farmer, is quoted as saying recently that the thistle has entirely disappeared from the Dakota prairies. Here is certainly a phenomenon worthy of the investigation of the wisecracks of the Agricultural department at Washington. Let them find out whether there is any limitation to the life of noxious weeds."

The report of the Crow's Nest Pass atrocities has reached the Old Country and warnings are being issued discouraging immigration to Canada on these grounds. Here is one of them reproduced from "The People's Journal," one of the most influential, widely read and largest circulated newspapers in Scotland:

### WARNING.

Sir:—In case young men may be induced to emigrate to Canada on the prospect of better wages, let me warn them that in Canada wages for unskilled labor are no higher than at home, and the cost of living double what it is at home. On the Crow's Nest Pass railway men are being treated worse than brutes, so bad, indeed, that the Government at Ottawa have appointed a commission to inquire into the murder of two men and the inhuman treatment of about 300 more poor fellows up there. Kindly insert this as a warning.—I am, &c.,  
ROBERT DUNCAN,  
Late of Ploughman's Union.

The railroads of the United States expend in a year a sum more than \$100,000,000 in excess of the total expenditure of the United States Government, and this computation does not include nearly \$250,000,000 paid in the form of interest upon railroad bonds or guaranteed stock, and from \$80,000,000 to \$100,000,000 paid in the form of dividends to stockholders. The railroads indeed, are the great dis-bursing agencies of the country, handling never less than \$1,000,000,000 in a year and disbursing it all, or practically it all, for railroads, as a rule, do not keep large bank accounts and do practically a cash business, turning money rapidly.

The Regina Leader says: "Wild and wholly foundationless rumors about a projected redistribution of Territorial constituencies are agitating people in various parts. One rumor puts Moosomin into Wallace or vice versa. The Reginas are to be chopped off on the east, added to Qu'Appelle, and a new riding of Indian Head created. We advise anyone who may be seriously exercised over these reports to attempt to follow them to their source,—which will be found to be imagination. If there is a redistribution intended it is safe to say that the details of it will be published in a far better way than by vague rumor."

An idea of the amount of mail passing between Canada and Great Britain can be formed by Mr. Mulock's statement, that the reduction of postage rates will benefit the people of Canada to the extent of \$650,000 per year. This represents an enormous amount of correspondence.

In another column will be found the list of stray and impounded animals as published in the last official North-West Gazette. As we promised before, we will endeavor to make this a feature of THE TIMES, and hope that it will prove beneficial to our readers.

It is the Hon. Joseph Martin's destiny to have a hand in the smashing of Governments. He had a hand in the smashing of the Norquay Government, the Tupper Government, and now the Turner Government. What Government will he next smash?—Ex.

### "THE DOMINION."

Fine Passenger Accommodation and Large Cold Storage Compartments.

The Dominion Line has recently added a new ship to the Atlantic service, named "Dominion," which arrived at Montreal on its first voyage a short time ago. The following from the Montreal Witness will be interesting:

"The 'Dominion' brought out ninety-five first class, seventy-seven second class and a hundred and sixty-four steerage passengers. The wonderful unanimity of all on board as to the steadiness of the ship was surprising, especially as enough rough weather was met with to thoroughly test her. 'Steady as a rock,' 'Never was on a steadier ship,' were remarks made by people who had crossed more than a score of times. The captain is especially enthusiastic and says the ship greatly surpassed his expectations. The chief engineer is also loud in his praises. The ship is 445 feet long between perpendiculars; beam, 50.2 feet; draught when loaded, 27 feet; net tonnage, 6,500; horse power, 604; first class accommodation, 200; second class, 160; steerage, 140, with space to make provision for a larger number. The first class cabins each have four berths. While the second and third class each have two and four berth cabins. All the cabins, in fact the whole ship, is finished in the finest style. The second class accommodations are especially nice, being hardly inferior to the first class except in name. Nice clean iron berths in the steerage, for which mattresses and bedding are furnished, keeps it from being the repulsive feature of the ship, which this part usually is. The smoking rooms for the second and third class passengers, as well as their respective ladies' rooms, are particularly clean and airy.

One of the greatest features of the new ship are the very large cold storage compartments. There are four of them and they are likely to be well patronized by the cheese and butter trade this year, as a number of leading exporters came over in her and have had a good chance to see them.

A double set of triple expansion engines provide the power for the twin screws, nominally 604 horse power. The ship has a double bottom capable of carrying eleven hundred tons of water ballast.

The promenade deck is very spacious, but it will be much more so when, as is proposed, it has been opened clear up to the bow of the vessel.

The captain of the ship is Mr. John James, who has been twenty-two years at sea and seven years in command. On the last day of the voyage he was presented by Mr. McKergow with the following address, signed by seventy-two first class passengers, which speaks for itself, as it expresses the opinion of those for whose pleasure and safety he has been responsible:

"We the undersigned passengers on the S.S. 'Dominion,' on the occasion of her first voyage across the Atlantic, under her new name and management, desire to express to Captain James our appreciation of his seamanlike qualities, and of his unvarying courtesy. We have felt the utmost confidence in his care and skill, and we feel that throughout the voyage, he has been specially anxious to secure the safety and comfort of all on board his ship.

We also desire to express our appreciation of the courtesy and attention which we have received from the other officers and crew of the ship.

The ship has four officers, Mr. W. Humphries being chief officer. The crew is composed of a hundred and thirteen men. The chief steward, Mr. W. Simms, has given great satisfaction. The chief engineer is Mr. John Tully, and he has six assistants.

### Dropsy Cured in a Day.

A great cure and a great testimony. "For ten years I suffered greatly from heart disease, fluttering of the heart and smothering spells, made my life a torment. I was confined to my bed. Dropsy set in. My physician told me to prepare for the worst. I tried Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. One dose gave me great relief; one bottle cured the dropsy and my heart.—Mrs. James Adams, Syracuse, N. Y." Sold by W. W. Bole.

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## R. BOGUE.

### CHEAPER TELEGRAPHY.

Reduction of Rates by the C.P.R. Co's Telegraph to Western Points.

The new copper wire along the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which has been in course of construction during the past four months, will very shortly be completed to the Pacific Coast. This will afford increased telegraphic facilities, and in view also of the early completion of the wires along the Crow's Nest Railway into the Kootenay district, which will give the company another route and greatly facilitate the handling of messages, the C.P.R. company's Telegraph announces the following reduction of rates which took effect last Monday:

From Winnipeg and as far west as Moose Jaw to all offices in the Kootenay district, the rate for ten words, which has been \$1.15 day and \$1 night, is reduced to \$1 day and 50c night.

From Medicine Hat, Edmonton, Macleod, etc. the reduction is from \$1.10 day or night.

From Calgary, Banff, etc., the reduction has been from 90c and 60c to 60c and 40c.

Another reduction which will be greatly appreciated by patrons will be a single rate of 25c. for ten words from Manitoba offices to points on the Dauphin railway.

### Presbytery of Regina.

The regular meeting of the Presbytery of Regina was held at Round Lake on July 20 and 21. Rev. S. W. Thompson, of Qu'Appelle, was elected moderator. W. H. Farrer was licensed to preach the gospel within our bounds or wherever in the province of God he may be called. His ordination will take place at Abernethy on Tuesday, August 2nd, at 2:30 p.m. Mr. McKennie to preside, ordain and address the minister. Mr. Robson to preach and Mr. McKennie to address the people. The following committees were appointed for the year:

HOME MISSIONS:—J. A. Carmichael, (convenor), J. W. Muirhead, J. G. McKennie, A. Lee, A. Matheson, A. J. McLeod, J. Balfour, A. Skene, F. C. Tait, R. D. Thompson.

FOREIGN MISSIONS:—H. McKay, (convenor), J. C. Cameron, A. Kemlo, E. McKennie, A. Lee, Geo. Laird, A. McDonald, J. Martin.

FINANCE AND STATISTICS:—J. W. Muirhead (convenor), S. W. Thompson, A. Fotheringham, C. E. Baldwin.

CHURCH LIFE AND WORK:—A. Robson (convenor), A. Matheson, G. Arthur, W. Adam, A. Campbell, J. S. Dobbin, W. H. Farrer, W. S. Moore, A. Fotheringham, J. K. Anderson, A. Steuch, J. Ferguson, Jno. Taggart.

SABBATH SCHOOL:—J. G. McKennie, (convenor), C. W. Bryden, D. F. McMillan, J. C. Cameron, J. Brown.

EXAMINATION OF STUDENTS:—A. Campbell, (convenor), Geo. Arthur, A. Kemlo, A. Fitzpatrick.

REMITTS:—J. W. Muirhead, (convenor), J. Laing, W. Rothwell.

MANITOBA COLLEGE:—S. W. Thompson, (convenor), J. Laing, J. S. Dobbin, W. Bersea.

Y. P. S. C. E.:—J. C. Cameron, (convenor), S. W. Thompson, G. Hyson.

PRAIRIE WITNESS:—A. Robson, (convenor), A. Campbell, J. W. Muirhead, S. W. Thompson, J. A. Carmichael, A. Skene, A. J. McLeod, J. C. Cameron, J. G. McKennie.

Mr. McMillan notified Presbytery that he wished to sever his connection with Earlwood mission field on the last Sabbath of September of this year. Several members spoke of the excellent work that had been done by Mr. McMillan. It was agreed to accept the resignation. The following motions were also agreed to:

(1) Having received a communication from our brother, Mr. Matheson, the Presbytery desires to express its gratitude for his good wishes and to earnestly express its hope and prayer that he may soon be restored to such a measure of health as will enable him again to en-

gage in the Lord's work, which he loves so well.

(2) Presbytery notes with satisfaction the progress of Fort Qu'Appelle mission, and with pleasure grant it the status of ordained supply and also receive the unanimous petition of the field for Mr. T. McAfee for appointment as ordained supply, and would ask Rev. Dr. Robertson to forward the petition to Mr. McAfee, and take such steps as may be necessary to secure, if possible, the prayer of the petition.

(3) The Presbytery on terminating the relation which has existed between Rev. A. Robson and the congregation at Indian Head, desires to put on record its cordial appreciation of his services so generously given, and so eminently successful, as manifested by the present financial and spiritual prosperity of the congregation, and its regret that his work prevents him from further continuance at present in the active ministry.

(4) This Presbytery, viewing with satisfaction the decisions of the highest courts of the church, agreed that every effort be put forth by the Presbytery to influence the vote in favor of prohibition, soon to be taken, by the use of literature and public addresses.

(5) That the Moosomin congregation after August be supplied by the H. M. Committee, and that in accordance with the wish of the congregation and appointment be made for four months, the congregation having at any time the privilege of calling.

(6) That the next regular meeting of Presbytery be held at Regina, on Wednesday, September 21st, at 9:30 a.m.  
J. W. MUIRHEAD, Clerk.

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Pastor—Rev. H. C. Sweet.  
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Holy Eucharist every alternate Sunday after Mat-  
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## STRAY ANIMALS.

The Official List as Advertised in  
the Latest N.W.T. Gazette.

### NOTICES OF STRAY ANIMALS.

On premises of C. M. Richards, Kin-  
brae, Assa, working team, bay mare and  
horse, left hind foot on both white, brand-  
ed monogram O bar A; bay mare, black  
points, branded monogram O bar A and  
SB; bay pony mare, star on forehead;  
roan pony horse, aged, tail and mane cut.  
On premises of Wm. Booth, Edgely,  
Assa, bay gelding and year old horse  
colt, branded (O) on left shoulder.  
On premises of John Redpath, Fort  
Qu'Appelle, Assa, red yearling heifer, no  
brands.  
On premises of R. M. Bailey, Fort Qu'-  
Appelle, since June 28, red and white  
2-year old heifer, horse shoe brand on  
right ribs.  
On premises of John Booth, File Hills,  
iron grey filly, 3 years old, no brand, white  
hind foot.  
On premises of J. Finski, Yorkton,  
3-year old red and white steer, wrench  
brand on right hip.  
On premises of H. G. Forbes, Pheasant  
Forks, dark red and white steer, four or  
five years old, and light red and white  
steer, same age, both have cross brand on  
right shoulder and two bars on right  
thigh and horseshoe on right hip.  
On premises of S. Loptson, Thingvalla,  
since beginning of June, grey mare, aged,  
no brand visible; and one bay filly, 2  
years old, white face.  
On premises of G. Narfason, Church-  
bridge, bay mare, about 4 years old, small  
star on face, white hind feet, halter on  
and dragging long rope.  
On premises of Jas. McMillan, Moose  
Jaw, since Feb. 1, sorrel pony mare, white  
face, hind feet with, branded 8 on left  
shoulder.  
On premises of J. Moore, Ellisboro,  
bright bay pony.  
On premises of A. Dunphy, Fort Qu'-  
Appelle, bay horse, about 7 years old,  
slight white marks on hind feet, mark  
above left hock; bay mare, about 3  
years old, hind feet white; yearling colt,  
4 white legs, no brands.  
On premises of John Schneider, Brud-  
erheim, Alta., since June 1, buckskin  
horse, aged, about 15 hands, 80 lbs,  
irregularly branded on left shoulder and  
left hip.  
On premises of W. E. Holmes, High  
River, since June 15, bay gelding 15½  
hands, 6 years old, irregular brand on  
right shoulder and thigh.  
On premises of Martin Rothenbush,  
Edenwald, sorrel gelding, 7 years old, 4  
white legs, stripe on face, branded G. S.  
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Does this continue day after  
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on right shoulder; bay gelding, clipped  
mane and tail, branded P on left  
shoulder, aged; black gelding, 6 years  
old, right front and left hind fetlocks  
white, stripe on face, indistinct brand on  
right shoulder.  
On premises of Cairns Bros., Carnduff,  
Assa, white pony mare, branded bar  
JGG on nigh flank and indistinct brand  
on nigh shoulder; 2-year-old grey filly,  
no brand.  
On premises of T. C. Bunn, Qu'Appelle  
Station, bay pony mare, 6 years old,  
branded C on left hip, small star on fore-  
head, foal at foot.  
On premises of M. O. Hedley, Carie-  
vale, Assa, aged bay mare, white face,  
white hind feet, indistinct brand, clipped  
last spring.  
On premises of Wm. Nicol, Moosomin,  
since middle of June, bay mare, 2 years  
old, no brand, very quiet.  
On the Brassey Estate, Indian Head,  
since July 7, black pony gelding, 5 years  
old, hind feet and off fore foot white, no  
brand, small sore on back.  
On premises of C. Dolter, Sintuluta,  
since July 15, white grey pony mare,  
short mane and tail, chain around neck;  
dark bay pony mare, short mane and  
tail, halter on.  
On premises of W. H. Rice, High  
River, since July 5, bay or brown filly,  
2 years old, left hind foot white around  
fetlock, no brand.  
On premises of Ferdinand Falkenberg,  
Leduc, brown cob mare, stripe on face,  
2 years old, weight 80 lbs.  
On premises of A. McRae, Cannington  
Manor, since January, light brown 2-year  
old filly, black points, narrow white  
stripe from forehead to nose, broncho,  
round and prettily built.  
On premises of H. K. Bligh, Millwood,  
Assa, since middle of May, roan heifer  
calf, 4 months old.  
On premises of T. Foster, Marieton,  
Assa, bay mare, 6 years old, white star  
on forehead, no brand; pony branded  
monogram JM on left shoulder.  
On premises of J. Williams, Crooked  
Hill Creek, Tetlock, Assa, bay mare, 4  
years old, 15 hands, little white on face,  
no brand.  
On premises of B. H. Mollenken, Mile-  
stone, roan pony mare, branded mono-  
gram J. H. on left flank; light brown  
pony mare, two hind and right forelegs  
white, white face, shod; brown pony  
mare, irregular brand on left shoulder,  
shod.  
On premises of John Kaser, Red Deer,  
bay mare, white face, white legs, branded  
bench P on left thigh, had been badly  
used.  
On premises of Julius Feitz, Wolseley,  
since March 1, white 2-year-old heifer, no  
brand.  
On premises of W. J. Sanderecock,  
Abernethy, dark brown horse, 4 years old,  
white face, white hind feet, indistinct  
brand on left shoulder.  
With band of Wm. Walsh, Old Wives  
Creek, Moose Jaw, since last winter,  
aged pinto pony, branded monogram LN  
on left shoulder; on premises since May,  
black horse, 4 years old, narrow white  
stripe on face, indistinct brand on left  
shoulder.  
With band of John Sheppard, White-  
wood, 1 red and white heifer, 6 months  
old.  
On premises of H. McFadyen, Salt-  
coats, light roan yearling steer, small, no  
brand.  
On premises of T. B. Hextall, Grenfell,  
since July 1, grey horse, 3 years old, 15  
hands, unbroken.  
On premises of Geo. Beeler, South Ed-  
monton, since April 1, buckskin pony  
mare, 6 years old, 3 white feet, indistinct  
brand on left shoulder.  
On premises of Alexander Isbester, Ft.  
Qu'Appelle, since May, 1 dark bay mare,  
star on forehead, 3 years old, branded H  
on off shoulder.  
On premises of C. Hill, Qu'Appelle  
Station, 1 light weight black mare, star  
on forehead, white on near fetlock, brand-  
ed S on shoulder, about 14½ hands.  
On premises of Thomas Chambers,  
Grenfell, 1 heavy bay gelding, white on  
hind feet, white spot on forehead and  
nose; 1 dark brown heavy gelding, hind  
feet white, crooked stripe on face; 1 dark  
pony (filly) about 3 years old, small spot  
on forehead.  
On premises of Richard Davison, Gren-  
fell, since June 2, 1 dark bay mare, ap-  
parently about 8 years old, halter on, shod  
on fore feet, little white on one foot.  
On premises of James Kirk, Edmonton,  
since June 9, 1 black sow about 1 year  
old.  
On premises of E. Field, Fishing Lake,  
Assa, since May 15, 1 white pony, brand-  
ed 76 on hind quarter.  
On premises of Jacob Tohor, Kaposev,  
Assa, 1 mare, 4 years old, dark bay with  
black points, about 1,200 pounds, stripe  
on face, 4 white feet, has been hurt on  
off fore foot and limps a little, has mouse  
colored male colt at foot, white face, white  
footed, about six weeks old.  
**NOTICES OF STRAY ENTIRE ANIMALS.**  
Captured by Joseph Dupuis, Morin-  
ville, Alta., sorrel stallion, 2 years old,  
white faced.  
Captured by Thomas Foster, Marieton,  
Assa, roan entire pony, 2 years old, no  
brand.  
Captured by Fred. McLay, Horse Hills,  
Alta., light buckskin stallion, rising 2  
years old, white stripe on forehead, lump  
on belly, no brand.  
**NOTICES OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS.**  
Impounded on premises of E. Smith,  
Lumsden, light bay mare, 3 years old,

white stripe on face, right hind foot white,  
branded y on off shoulder; black mare,  
2 years old, white stripe on face, one  
hind and two front feet white, no brands;  
sorrel horse, aged, branded 9 with an-  
other indistinct figure on right shoulder.  
Impounded on premises of Jas. Camp-  
bell, Moose Jaw, bright bay filly, branded  
U on left shoulder; dark grey filly,  
branded lazy U on left shoulder.  
Impounded on premises of W. H. Mc-  
Elree, Regina, grey mare, 3 years old;  
light buckskin mare, S on left shoulder  
and left ribs; bay stallion, 2 years old;  
black stallion, one year old.  
Impounded on premises of Wm. Rat-  
tary, Broadview, light bay mare, white  
stripe on face, hind feet white; dark  
grey yearling.  
Impounded on premises of Leslie  
Cowan, Gainsborough, Assa, brown mare,  
2 years old, white on right hind foot; bay  
horse colt, 1 year old, white star on face,  
white on left hind foot.  
Impounded on premises of E. S.  
Andrews, Saskatoon, red 2-year-old steer,  
white star on forehead, branded X on  
rump; red and white yearling steer,  
branded X on rump; yearling heifer  
calf, black and white on belly, branded X  
on rump.  
Impounded on premises of Oscar  
Mohrman, small grey horse, aged, brand-  
ed heart on right shoulder.  
Impounded on premises of Thomas  
Apperley, Whitehead, 1 bright bay horse,  
branded circle in diamond on left hip and  
circle on left shoulder, star on forehead,  
left front and left hind foot white, saddle  
marks; 1 black horse, about 3 years old,  
white spot on forehead, stripe on nose.  
Impounded on premises of W. M. F.  
Kay, Maryfield, 1 sorrel mare, about 8  
years old, white spot on face, off fore and  
nigh hind feet white, has sorrel foal at  
foot with white stripe down face.  
Impounded on premises of A. Biggins,  
Whitehead, 1 filly about 14 months old,  
evidently been greatly petted, dark brown,  
both hind fetlocks white, large star.  
**NOTICES OF LOST ANIMALS.**  
Stolen or strayed from the neighbor-  
hood of Whitesand P.O., late last fall, 2  
bay geldings, both branded GUN on hip.  
The darker of the two has star on fore-  
head and a little white on one hind foot,  
is wilder and a little lighter boned than  
the other. Both 3 years old last spring.  
A reward of ten dollars will be paid by  
Jas. Carson, Whitesand P.O., Assa, for  
the recovery of the animals, and twenty-  
five dollars will be paid by the same for  
information leading to the conviction of  
any party or parties who may have stolen  
them.  
Lost at Weyburn Station, large brown  
mare, right hind leg white, no marks or  
brands, long tail, 4 big warts on one each  
leg inside. Information as to the where-  
abouts of this animal to be sent to M.  
Chattella, Whitehead.  
Strayed from Salteats on June 11,  
light grey mare, about eight years old,  
small lump on right hind leg and enlarged  
fetlock. Halter on when animal left  
home. A reward of five dollars will be  
paid by Mrs. Trowell, Salteats, for the  
recovery of the animal.  
Five dollars reward will be paid by  
Hewlett & Fleming, Cannington Manor,  
Assa, for information that will lead to  
the recovery of a 4-year-old Canadian  
gelding, light brown, weight about 1,400  
lbs, white blaze down face, two white  
hind legs, was blistered for seven years  
on nigh shoulder last summer, may have  
left a mark, has not been seen since last  
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## CANADIAN NEWS BRIEFS

### A BICYCLIST IS BROWNED AT PETERBORO.

John Hamilton, Reeve of Melancthon, is charged with Burglary—Battery—“A” Gunner Deserts.

Tuesday, August 2.  
The first crop of Manitoba this year promises to be a good one. The average is much larger than it was last year.

The directors of the Bell Telephone company have decided to increase the capital of the company from \$5,168,000 to \$5,500,000.

Judge Dugas, judge of the Yukon district, has placed his resignation as police magistrate of Montreal in the hands of Premier Marchand.

View-President Hobart, of the United States, left on Saturday for Lake Champlain, travelling over the Grand Trunk in the private car Canada.

John Gillies, formerly Grand Trunk station agent at Alvinston, committed suicide by firing a revolver into his mouth. Despondency owing to ill health was the cause of the act.

John Hamilton, reeve of Melancthon, was brought to Toronto Monday in charge of Provincial Detective Greer. Hamilton was arrested in Manitoba charged with forgery in connection with the incendiary trials at Selkirk.

Fred Foote, a prominent business man here, was riding down the hill near Jackson park, Peterboro, on his wheel Tuesday morning, when he lost control of the pedals and went over the bank into an artificial lake. When the body was recovered life was extinct.

There is a movement on foot at Toronto to appoint a special inspector of dry goods under the new preferential law, to prevent the evasion of the law by British exporters passing foreign goods through their hands and affixing a different label.

A. Harris, recently traffic manager of the Canadian government railway system, has been appointed general agent for the Dominion of the Fitchburg railway (Hoose Tunnel route). It is understood that this railway will enter next winter into keen competition for export traffic.

Shortly before 10 o'clock Monday morning Gunner Love, “A” Field Battery deserter, who recently surrendered himself to the authorities, was tried by court martial and sentenced to a term in the cells at Fort du Pont barracks, succeeded in escaping the vigilance of the provost sergeant and making his escape from the back gate. He was clad only in a light undershirt, trousers and boots. A detachment from the battery was sent in search of him.

### SIR WM. MULOCK.

Canada's Postmaster-General to be Made a Knight—Naval Reserve.

London, July 28.—A deputation from the British Empire League visited the first lord of the admiralty, Mr. Geo. J. Goschen, today, to urge the enrolling of colonial seamen in the naval reserve. Mr. Goschen said he thoroughly sympathized with the movement, adding that the colonies ought to realize that they must bear a fair share of the defence of the empire. Continuing Mr. Goschen remarked that if the colonies would bear the expense of training the naval men, the government would bear the expense of the men's retaining fees. In conclusion Mr. Goschen promised the deputation that the commanders of the British naval stations would be instructed to open communications with the various colonial governments with the view of evolving a practical scheme for enrolling colonial seamen in the naval reserve.

Postmaster-General Mulock, of Canada, who, by the way, it is reported, is about to be knighted, assured Mr. Goschen of the cheerful co-operation of Canada in any movement having for its object the safety and stability of the British empire.

### HAMILTON NEWS.

The Ratepayers Refuse to Purchase the City Railway.

Hamilton, July 27.—The rate-payers of this city today voted en bloc to build four trunk sewers, two for the east end and two for the west end of the city at a cost of \$50,000, also on two questions concerning the Hamilton Street railway. The sewer by-laws were defeated by 493 of a majority. In connection with the street railway question, the ratepayers were asked: First—Shall the city purchase and operate the street railway? Second—If the city does purchase the street railway should the council extend the franchise of the company for fifteen years? The first question was defeated by a majority of 1,604 and the second was carried by a majority of 754. The city council will now be asked to extend the franchise for fifteen years.

### Heavy Damage by Rain.

McGregor, July 28.—A heavy hail storm passed over the Wellington settlement eight miles north of this place on Tuesday night and continued its course towards the east, doing a great deal of damage. Many of the settlers who are entirely hauled out suffered the same fate last year, and are consequently left in very bad shape. The prospects of a good crop were never better, and it would be difficult to estimate the loss. Having had started, but the crop is light this year.

Sidney, July 28.—The drainage done by hail near here is not so bad as was first anticipated. The frequent showers have made a great improvement, and in several cases where it was thought to be a total loss there will be about half a crop. Some of our farmers intend to commence cutting wheat on Monday, Aug. 1st.

## GERMANY IN MOURNING

### OTTO, PRINCE VON BISMARCK-SCHONHAUSEN IS DEAD.

The Iron Chancellor Succumbs to the Great Conqueror.

Berlin, July 30.—Prince Bismarck died shortly before 11 o'clock this evening.

Berlin, July 30.—Details of the death of Prince Bismarck are obtained with difficulty, because of the lateness of the hour, the isolation of the castle, and the strenuous endeavors of the attendants of the family to prevent publicity. The death of the ex-chancellor comes as a surprise to all Europe. Despite the family's denial, there was an undercurrent of apprehension when the sinking of the prince was first announced, inspired more by what the family left unsaid than by any information given. But when the daily bulletins chronicle the improvement in the prince's condition, attested by his eating of food, and the fact of his devotion to his pipe, the public accepted Dr. Schweininger's assertion when he said there was no reason why Bismarck should not reach the age of 90 years. The reports were accepted as a repetition of the alarm that Prince Bismarck was in extremis which had been often repeated in the past. All the Saturday papers of Europe dismissed Bismarck with a passing allusion, noting the improvement, while his condition was completely overshadowed in the English papers by the condition of the Prince of Wales' knee. It appears that the ex-chancellor's death was not precipitated by sudden complications, but was rather the culmination of chronic disease, neuralgia of the face, an inflammation of the veins which kept him in constant pain, that was borne with the iron fortitude which might have been expected.

### DEATH UNEXPECTED.

London, July 31.—A special dispatch to the Associated Press says the news of Prince Bismarck's death reached Berlin at a late hour, and was only generally known this morning. A number of papers, including the Post, the Vorwaerts and the Deutsche Zeitung, did not contain the news of the prince's death. The Kuezzeltung had only a brief notice. The Tageblatt and the morning paper, the Bismarck supplement. The Lokal Anzeiger plumed the fullest details from its special correspondent at Friedrichsruhe, but the other papers, misled by Dr. Schweininger's statements regarding the prince's condition, made no provision to obtain news of his death. A majority of the provincial papers did not contain the news. This morning no news of any kind regarding the funeral arrangements is obtainable. The Hamtuer correspondent and the Nachrichten appear with mourning borders, and publish long obituary notices.

### BISMARCK'S LAST DAYS.

The Nachrichten gives the fullest details of the last days and death of Bismarck. It says that on Thursday evening an improvement set in in the prince's condition, in which repeated changes for the worse had occurred since October last, and he was able to appear at the table and take part in the conversation, drinking champagne and afterwards smoking several pipes, which he had done quite lately.

“His condition was so satisfactory that Dr. Schweininger after the prince had gone to bed left with the intention of returning on Saturday. His condition was comparatively satisfactory throughout Friday and Saturday morning. He read the paper and conversed on political matters, particularly referring to Russian affairs. In the forenoon he took luncheon, grumbling jealously at the small proportion of spirits in his drink. Afterward, a sudden change for the worse occurred in consequence of an acute attack of pulmonary oedema, and in the course of the afternoon he frequently became unconscious.

“Recently, besides periods of unusual mental clearness, the prince had had intervals of drowsiness, falling in long, sound and beneficial sleep, on awakening from which he would be completely refreshed.

### THE END WAS SUDDEN.

“On Saturday evening 8 o'clock symptoms appeared. Death came early and painlessly. Dr. Schweininger was able to some extent to lighten the last moments.

### HIS LAST WORDS.

“The last words Prince Bismarck uttered were addressed to his daughter, Countess Von Rantzau, who wiped away the perspiration from his forehead. They were: ‘Thanks, my child.’

### THE LAST SCENE.

“The whole family were assembled at the bedside at the time of his death. Dr. Schweininger and Baron and Baroness Merck were also present. As no breathing movement or pulse was perceptible for three minutes, Dr. Schweininger declared quietly and simply that he deemed him dead. Dr. Schweininger then graphed the news to Emperor William in Norway. The prince lies as usual to sleep, in an easy position, with his head slightly inclined to the left. The expression on his face is mild and peaceful. In accordance with his wish he will be buried upon the hill opposite the castle in the vicinity of Hirschpue.

### THE EMPEROR MOVED.

Bergen, Norway, July 31.—When Emperor William was informed of Prince Bismarck's death early this morning he deeply affected and ordered his yacht to return immediately. The Hohenzollern, with the Emperor on board, will reach Kiel tomorrow. The flag on the yacht is flying at half-mast.

### NATIONAL SORROW.

Berlin, July 31.—The news of Prince Bismarck's death, which became generally known only through special editions of the papers, produced profound sorrow, as so sudden a realization of the fears of his demise was expected. Several papers published special articles, with the mourning borders, expressing in feeling terms the national sorrow and dwelling on the brilliant and immortal services of the prince to the Fatherland, his heroic greatness and his truly German character. Sorrowful sympathy over Prince Bismarck's death is manifested in many ways. The news is constantly discussed in public places and a feeling of sadness prevails among all classes

of the people. Particulars of the last moments of the prince and other circumstances attending his death are eagerly sought. Many private houses show flags at half-mast. Secretary of State von Bulow will return from Seimerninghe, Austria, immediately.

### A PAINFUL DEATH.

A special dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Friedrichsruhe says: The death chamber is on the ground floor of the castle. The prince died on a caken bedstead, made especially for him from wood from Sachsenwald. The end was preceded by a severe death-struggle and terrible pain. As he lies his head is slightly fallen forward on his breast and the hands are folded on the counterpane. At the foot of the bed stand two watchers. The city looks hardly different from its wont, except that flags are at half mast.

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

At the office of the marshal of the court it was said this evening that Dr. Von Lucanus, chief of Emperor William's household, is burying him from Portz, where he has been spending the summer with a view to putting himself into communication with the Bismarck family and Dr. Schweininger, in order to arrange for the funeral which will probably be delayed until the emperor's return.

### Vancouver News.

Vancouver, Aug. 1.—The Empress of India sailed this evening for Yokohama and Hong Kong. Among her passengers was Tora Hosoe, Japanese ambassador at Washington.

C. Schmidt met death in a hideous manner. He stole a sum of money and a watch from a bedfellow and escaped to Port Moody. There he tried to board a freight train on the move, missed his hold and was smashed to pieces.

J. Day, foreman in a logging camp on Gambler's Island, fell off a boom log and was drowned.

Florence Stanley, a woman from the other side, who was recently in a big row here, died from alcoholic poisoning.

### A Heavy Sentence.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—Tom Carlyle, the desperado, who has made four successful attempts to escape from different Canadian prisons, was this morning sentenced by Colonel Denison to ten years in Kingston penitentiary for attempting to shoot Detectives Porter and Siemien, while they were endeavoring to arrest him after his recent break from the central prison, also to two years additional for breaking jail. Carlyle claimed that the detectives had for years dogged his footsteps when he was out of jail causing him to lose situations and preventing him from becoming an honest man.

### A Few Fires.

Warkworth, Aug. 1.—The Gilmour Mills at Crow Bay, were destroyed by fire Saturday morning. The lumber was saved, but the damage is heavy.

Montreal, Aug. 1.—The loss on the plant and building at the Linotype factory is between \$35,000 and \$45,000. One hundred and forty-five men are temporarily out of work.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The house of Thomas Martin was gutted by fire yesterday, damage \$2,000.

London, Aug. 1.—Jacob Harris' warehouse on Horton street was damaged by fire to the extent of \$1,000.

### Thorn is Electrocuted.

Sing-Sing, New York, Aug. 1.—Martin Thorn was executed at 11:17 this forenoon.

When Thorn rose this morning he told one of his keepers that his only dread was to wait from the time he awoke until he was summoned to the chair. Rev. Father Hauselman, of Brooklyn, the spiritual adviser of the murderer, called at the prison shortly after 8 o'clock and remained with Thorn until the end. Thorn was reading his bible when the priest entered the death house. He greeted the priest affectionately. Father Hauselman heard his confession after which the last sacraments of the church were administered to Thorn. He then read his prayer book and prayed until he was summoned to the death house.

### Passed the Lords.

London, July 29.—The Irish local government bill passed the third reading in the house of lords today, with some unimportant amendments.

### DUBOSC'S EXPULSION.

Chamberlain Tells the House of Commons Why It Was Necessary.

London, July 29.—Secretary of state for the colonies, Hon. Jos. Chamberlain, in replying in the house of commons today, to Mr. Thomas Gibson Bowles, Conservative, said that Senator Dubosc, former Spanish chargé d'affaires at Washington, was formally requested by the Canadian premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to leave Canada. This, Mr. Chamberlain added, was done at the direction of the imperial government and on the ground that there was reason to believe that Senator Dubosc was using Canada for the purpose of belittling operations against the United States. Continuing, Mr. Chamberlain remarked that the authority to expel aliens from Canada in such cases rests with the crown. Answering another question, Mr. Chamberlain said the government could not undertake to lay on the table papers bearing upon Du Bosc's expulsion.

### Customs Collections.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—Total duties collected on imports up to Saturday night were \$603,974. For the same month last year they were \$317,459. Returns on Saturday alone were \$38,716. These figures for the month pass all previous records.

Montreal, Aug. 1.—Customs collections here for July reached \$1,120,900, the biggest month on record, save that of August, 1890, when that figure was slightly surpassed. In July, 1897, the imports were only \$530,705.

## THE BROAD DOMINION.

### LABORER KILLED BY A STROKE OF LIGHTNING.

Ogilvie to Leave for the Yukon—Legislative Assembly of the Northwest to Meet on August 16.

Monday, August 1.  
The Indian murderers under arrest at Port Arthur have confessed.

Dan McAnnam, of St. Boniface, was accidentally killed on the Crow's Nest.

Mr. William Ogilvie expects to leave Ottawa on Tuesday next en route to the Yukon.

On the Crow's Nest railway most of the grading contracts are through and the steel is now as far as Wardner.

The legislative assembly of the Northwest Territories will meet on the 16th of August. Speaker Betts who is in Winnipeg, received a telegram informing him of the fact Saturday.

The Canadian boat lines doing business at Duluth have abandoned the use of the revenue stamps on their bills of lading. Under a ruling of the commissioner the stamps are not required.

Martin Rashford, aged 38, a laborer, employed by John McCann, Rosebank, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Rashford was engaged digging a ditch when the lightning struck him on the head, making two small holes. His hair was singed, and one shoe completely torn off.

Lady Kirkpatrick presented colors to the Army and Navy Veterans on Saturday afternoon in Queen's park. Some misunderstanding occurred as to which of two men were to make the presentation of a watch to one of their number which occasioned some disturbance and marred the harmony of the proceedings.

Innes and Davidson, for many years publishers of the Guelph Mercury, announced their retirement in yesterday's issue, having sold out to J. L. Macintosh and F. W. Galbraith, the latter of whom has been acting editor for several years. Macintosh was for many years private secretary to Hon. J. M. Gibson, minister of crown lands in Ontario, and one of the ministers defeated at the recent elections.

### Naval Reserves.

St. John's, Nfld., Aug. 1.—Mr. Geo. J. Goschen, first lord of the British admiralty, has arranged to organize a naval reserve among the Newfoundland fishermen, enrolling 500, who will be drilled by special instructors sent from England. Forts are being erected specially for this purpose, the men receiving \$50 each cash for each month engaged. Newfoundland is the only colony where the experiment is being tried.

### Ottawa News.

Ottawa, July 29.—It is understood that the appointment of Judge Dugas, of Montreal, to a judgeship in Yukon was put through at today's cabinet meeting.

Tomorrow is the last day of preferential trade to countries other than Great Britain, and each of its possessions as gives the same treatment to Canada as Canada gives to them. The customs department has therefore notified all customs houses in the Dominion to receive entries tomorrow for such goods as are in the country up to 6 p. m., instead of closing at 1 p. m., as is customary on Saturdays.

### Over 25,000,000 Bushels.

Statistics just compiled show that Manitoba and the Northwest Territories produced more wheat last year than was generally supposed. Up to a few days ago eighteen and a half million bushels of wheat (four inches) had been through Winnipeg on the C. P. R. since the '97 crop began to move, two millions were taken out by the Northern Pacific; four millions were held by farmers for seed, etc., and the milling companies now hold over one million bushels in stock, so that the total yield was between twenty-five and twenty-six million bushels.

### Sympathy With Zola.

Paris, July 30.—The expulsion of M. Emile Zola from the Legion of Honor promises to create a serious discussion in the ranks of that organization. The well known author, M. Jules Barbier, resigned yesterday on account of M. Zola's expulsion, and this morning M. Desdresse, the distinguished editor of Le Temps, took a similar course, saying it is “repugnant to wear a decoration which still ornaments the breast of a man like Esterhazy, while it has been removed from that of a great writer, simply because he demands that the most elementary principles of the law and justice be respected.”

### Notable Death.

London, July 30.—Professor John Caird, D.D., LL.D., is dead, at the age of 78 years. Professor Caird was a native of Greenock, and was graduated by the University of Glasgow, in 1845. In 1862 he was appointed professor of divinity in the University of Glasgow, and eleven years later he became principal and vice-chancellor of the same institution. For a time he held the office of one of Her Majesty's chaplains for Scotland. Professor Caird's best known literary works are his “Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion,” published in 1880, and his “Spinoza,” published in Blackwood's philosophical classes for English readers.

A dog may not pose as a star performer, but when he travels with a blind man he is always given a leading part.

## THE MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 2.—Wheat receipts 181,025 bushels, exports 132,000 bushels. Chicago, Aug. 2.—The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—Aug. 6½c, Sept. 6½c, Dec. 6½c, May 6½c.  
Corn—Aug. 8½c, Sept. 8½c, Dec. 8½c to 8½c, May 8½c.  
Oats—Sept. 2½c, May 2½c.  
Pork—Sept. \$9.17½.  
Lard—Sept. \$5.35, Oct. \$5.40.

### WINNIPEG MARKETS.

(Corrected up to this morning, August 3rd)

Wheat—At Brandon, 74c. Fort William, 87c.  
Flour—Patent, \$2.45; strong bakers, \$2.35; second bakers, \$1.75; XXXX, per sack of 98 lbs. \$1.25.  
Milled—Demand keeps good. Bran, \$11 and shorts, \$13 per ton in bulk; large lots, 50c per ton less.  
Ground Feed—Quoted at \$28 to \$31 per ton as to quality for oats. Ground corn is held at \$18 to \$19 per ton. A mixed corn feed is quoted at \$23 to \$24 per ton.  
Corn—Corn has been firmer in markets south for the past two weeks. Car lots on track, Winnipeg, are quoted at 4½c per bushel of 56 lbs.

Barley—Nominal at 45c per bushel of 48 lbs.

Oats—Nominal at 41c to 45c.  
Butter—Creamery—10½ to 16½ at the factories. Dairy—12c and 12½c has been paid for choice lots in the country.  
Cheese—7c to 7½c per lb.

Eggs—Receipts continue to come to hand in very bad shape. Candle stock is selling at 13c to 14c, and dealers are pricing 12c here.  
Dressed Meats—Beef, 5 to 6½c; mutton, 7½c to 8c; lamb, 6½c to 7c; hogs, 7c to 8c; veal, 6c to 8c.

Poultry—Live fowls, per pair, 50c to 100c; spring chickens, 25c to 50c per pair; turkeys, 10c to 15c per live weight; ducks, 95c to 100c per pair; geese, no demand.  
Vegetables—Potatoes, 20c to 30c per bu.; new potatoes, 75c to 85c; cauliflower, 15c per lb; cabbage, 30c to 40c per doz. Green stuff is offered at 12c for onions, lettuce and radishes; rhubarb, 10c per dozen bunches; carrots and beets, 15c per dozen bunches; celery, 30c to 35c per doz.; green peas, in pod, 2c per lb; corn, 75c per doz.

Fruits—Currants, gooseberries, and such like native small fruits are offering on the market at 75c per pair.

Hides—Green, No. 1, 7½c; kip, 7c to 7½c; calf, 7c to 9c; deerskins 25c; shearings 10c each; sheepskins, 10c to 15c; lambskins, 15c to 20c; horse hides, 75c to \$1.75 each; colts, 25c each.

Wool—Good to choice unwashed Manitoba fleece, 8c; very dull.

Tallow—No. 1, 3½c, No. 2, 2½c to 3c. Seneca Root—10c per lb.

Hay—New is now offering very freely, and the price has declined to \$5 to \$6 per ton for car lots of baled. Demand limited.

Cattle—Grassers, 3½c; stocker-cattle are quiet at \$2.50 to \$2.60 for heifers and \$2.75 to \$2.85 for steers.

Sheep—Easy this week at 8½c to 4c off cars here.

Hogs—Steady at 5c for most desirable. Choice bacon hogs, weighing 150 to 250 lbs., 5c per lb; 250 to 300 lbs., \$1.25 to \$1.75; heavy hogs, over 300 lbs., \$1 to \$1.25, as to quality, live weight.

### A BRAVE KLOOTCHMAN.

She Rescues a White Man From Drowning at Vancouver.

Vancouver, July 26.—There is a Klootchman in Vancouver, who deserves the Royal Humane society's medal. This brave red woman saved the life of a drunken white man at the imminent risk of her own. She performed the brave act during the dark hours this morning. Screams attracted people to Stevenson's wharf at 1 a. m. They found one Indian woman standing near the edge, pointing in an excited manner to the water and at frequent intervals giving strange Indian cries. It was quickly perceived that another woman was down below standing on a log in the water, and holding on to something. She appeared very frightened and was calling for help. As quickly as possible men got down to her assistance. Then it was found she was holding up a man in danger of drowning and unable to help himself. With assistance he was taken from the water.

The Klootchman, who undoubtedly saved the man's life, gave the following account of the affair: “One long skookum man, plenty drink, he fell into water, much splash. Him lot hair, whiskers white. Me got on stick, catch him hair, me yell. Hold him hair till man found.” The men who came to her assistance said that the Indian woman acted in a very plucky manner and the man who was dead drunk must have been drowned but for her. She goes by the name of Mary, and lives at Cape Mudge, but at present occupies a tent on the shore.

People should never marry unless the bridegroom has enough to buy every day's dinner, the bride to buy the supper.

When I try to make myself an infidel, I fancy I feel the hand of my mother on my head, and her voice sounding in my ear as she taught me to say, “Our Father, who art in heaven.”—John Randolph.

All that I am my mother made me.—John Quincy Adams.

### James Banks Suicides.

Toronto, July 29.—An unknown man went into the Union hotel last night and asked for a room with gas, and was found dead in the morning. The gas was turned on and his clothes were disposed about the room to cover the ventilators. The man is of medium size and sandy complexion. He looked like a mechanic and had \$5 in money. The body was identified late this afternoon as that of James Banks, who was engineer on the Globe when George Brown was shot, and the man with whom Bennett, the murderer, started the fatal quarrel.

## THE DOMINION'S TRADE.

### WHAT BRADSTREET AND DUN SAY OF THE WEEK'S BUSINESS.

Only a Fair Average—Summer Dullness Felt in Many Lines, While Others Are Active Owing to Increasing Demands—Crop Prospects Everywhere Reported Excellent.

New York, July 29.—Concerning Canadian trade, Bradstreet's Review tomorrow will say: The weather and harvesting operations check trade in the Dominion, but the fall outlook is a good one. Toronto reports Canadian cotton mills were active, and those working on bleached cottons as unable to fill orders, the deficit being supplied by imports from the United States. Aided by low freight rates United States wheat is being shipped from Toledo and Detroit to Montreal for export below offers of Ontario grades. Customs receipts are very large, as a result of heavy imports of foreign goods to anticipate preferential duties. St. John reports lumber shipments to Europe heavy, while those to the United States are small. Reports of large gold shipments from the Klondike since from Victoria and Vancouver, and this has made the coast trade more active, which trade in interior markets, as British Columbia is reported improving. Business failures in the Dominion of Canada for the week number 34, against 17 last week, 33 in this week a year ago, 27 in 1896, 34 in 1895, and 35 in 1894.

### DUN'S REVIEW.

New York, July 29.—Dun's Trade Review tomorrow will say of Canadian business: Reports of Canadian trade for the week are on the whole encouraging, although no important changes appear. No improvement is seen in jobbing and retail trade is very dull at St. John and collections are not very good. In all lines business is quiet at Halifax and the movement of goods is slow. Trade conditions are encouraging at Quebec, with every indication of a good harvest and the volume of business for the season is fair. Montreal reports some falling off in the demand for sugar, though dry goods are moving freely and cheese and butter exports are good. Money is abundant with rates easy. Toronto reports fair trade in hardware and metals with sugar in good demand, and crops in Ontario are very heavy, with bright business outlook. Trade is reasonably quiet at Winnipeg in groceries and dry goods, and fairly active in hardware, with good trade in lumber, but collections are only fair. Wholesale trade is more satisfactory at Victoria, but retail trade only fair. Shipping continues good, and the outlook for fall business is regarded as promising.

### BANK CLEARANCES.

New York, July 29.—Bank clearances for the Dominion of Canada were as follows: Montreal \$12,056,642, increase 13.4 per cent.; Toronto \$1,194,445, increase 7.4 per cent.; Winnipeg \$1,197,012, decrease 7.3 per cent.; Halifax \$1,196,464, increase 2.3 per cent.; Hamilton \$795,444; St. John \$652,931, increase 14 per cent.; totals \$24,325,799, increase 10.6 per cent.

I would desire for a friend a son who never resisted the tears of his mother.—Laurel.

*“Blue Ribbon” Tea  
Adding Powder  
and Coffee  
you will find  
these very useful  
for health*

## A Few Things

that should be found in every well regulated household

### DREWRY'S

Choice Stock Ale Extra Porter  
Canadian Whisky Lager  
(A Fine Light Beer)  
Golden Key Brand Aerated Water  
Imperial Table Sauce  
India Curry

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WINNIPEG



# Avoid . . . Infection

## Decomposition

takes place very rapidly in such weather as we have had the past two weeks. Your health and that of your family demands the use of some powerful disinfectant and de-odorant such as Carbolic Powder, Carbolic Acid, Chloride of Lime or Copperas.

## Seasonable

Lime Juice, Root Beer, — non-alcoholic — a 25c. bottle makes 5 gallons of a cool refreshing beverage.

## W. W. BOLE.

Balance of baby carriages at cost.

## The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1898.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Miss Lulu Glenn is visiting friends at Qu'Appelle Station.

Rev. T. C. Buchanan, of Regina, spent Wednesday in town.

Alex. Zeas' cultivators have arrived and are meeting with a big demand. See Advt in another column.

Hardie's Vaudeville Co. arrived from Regina this morning and are showing in the new Central Hall to-night and to-morrow night.

It is expected that a baseball match between picked teams from the town and country will be played on the grounds to-morrow afternoon.

If you are suffering from weak eyes I will pay you to consult W. H. Wallace at the Windsor next Thursday and Friday. He is a graduate. See advt.

Mrs. McCarter, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Smallwood, for the past month, left on Wednesday morning for her home in Victoria.

This week two more of our subscribers have joined the "select circle." They are Messrs. Alex. Wilson and Richard McCarthy, both of whom are now entitled to receive The Times until 1900.

Mrs. Porter, of Wolseley, mother of Mrs. Seymour Green, passed through last week on a trip to the coast. She is recovering from the severe illness which prostrated her last winter.

P. H. Morrissey, Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, will be in Moose Jaw on Tuesday, Aug. 9th, and will likely hold a public meeting in the interests of railroad labor organizations.

The Lumber Companies of the West have invited the lumber merchants to join in an excursion to Rat Portage, from which point the steamer Keenora will convey the party on a delightful trip on the Lake of the Woods and up the Rainy River to Fort Francis. Both our local merchants, Messrs. H. McDougall and J. T. Simpson will accept the invitation. The excursion will take place on August 15th.

Victor Dodd, Chief License Inspector, who accompanied Mr. Bullyea to the Klondyke as secretary and assistant, has arrived at Victoria from Dawson City and will resume his duties at Regina next week. In a private letter Mr. Dodd says that Mr. Bullyea left Dawson on his return to Regina about June 20th, to come out by the Dalton trail. Mr. Dodd came out by the river and St. Michael's and expected that Mr. Bullyea would reach Victoria about the same time as himself.

A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER

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**CREAM**  
**BAKING**  
**POWDER**

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Highest Honors, World's Fair  
Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair

Miss Clarke, of Orangeville, is the guest of her cousin, Miss E. Clarke.

G. B. Sharpe is building an addition to his residence on Fairford street.

D. McTavish is spending a week's holidays with friends at the Capital.

Mr. Walter Scott, of the "Leader," Regina, was in town last Sunday.

Mrs. D. Rollo and family returned from their visit to Montreal last Saturday.

Mrs. Campbell and daughter, of Winnipeg, are the guests of Mrs. Hugh McDougall.

Mrs. Jno. Shields, who has been visiting with friends for the past fortnight, left this week for Regina.

T. J. Wilson, teacher of the Edgeley school, is spending his holidays with his parents and friends.

W. McIntyre, of London, Ont., arrived on Aug. 1 and has accepted a position in "The Model Grocery Store."

Mrs. Walter Scott, of Regina, who has been the guest of Moose Jaw friends for a few weeks, returned home yesterday evening.

Geo. Sharpe returned from Virden yesterday, after spending a week with his wife, who is visiting her parents at that place.

Mrs. Hubbell, wife of Conductor Harry Hubbell, has returned from an extended visit to her parents at Whitewood. Her sister, Miss Lyons, accompanied her.

J. H. Wellington, Rev. Mr. Endicott and Miss D. Battell will represent the local R. T. of T. at the Plebiscite Convention to be held in Regina on Thursday and Friday.

Rev. T. W. Cunliffe, of Maple Creek, is on a pleasure trip to the Coast, and is visiting the more important towns along the line. Last Sunday he conducted the services at Donald.

School Inspector Perrett, who has just returned from a holiday visit to his parents at Pembroke, Ont., was in town on Sunday en route to Estevan to resume his duties.

Rev. W. A. Vrooman, who was suddenly called away to Winnipeg last Saturday having received tidings that Mrs. Vrooman had been taken seriously ill, returned on Tuesday. Mrs. Vrooman is expected next week.

Grand Councillor W. McF. Evans, of the R. T. of T., will be here on Tuesday evening next, Aug. 9th, and will be at the regular meeting of Glencorse Council when he will be pleased to meet all members.

The services in the Presbyterian church last Sunday were conducted by Mr. D. N. McLachlan, of Regina, instead of Mr. Wm. McLeod of Cottonwood, who was unable to come. Next Sunday Mr. D. Cameron, of Balgonie, will be in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambert, who have been enjoying a few weeks' outing with Mrs. Lambert, of Kennell, returned to Moose Jaw on Saturday. They intend taking up their residence in Regina, and left on Wednesday's train for that place.

J. R. Green, principal of the Nelson (B. C.) public school, who has been spending his holidays with his parents, has resigned the principalship and accepted the general agency for the Manufacturers' Life for the districts of Assiniboia and Saskatchewan. His many friends are pleased to have him back and wish for him success in his venture.

H. Sikes, Government line repairer on the Wood Mountain telegraph line, returned from a trip of inspection on Tuesday. He reports everything between here and the international boundary O.K. The ranchers are in the midst of haying and everybody is busy. Flies and mosquitoes are very plentiful. The line was in pretty bad condition in some places. About fifty miles out the lightning had made kindling wood of eight poles and smashed as many others. Every year Mr. Sikes has the same trouble with this section which is about twenty miles in length. It seems to be particularly subject to severe storms.

James Doyle, one of McDonald & Riddell's teamsters, received severe injuries while unloading stone for the new depot and hotel last Friday. He was standing on the whiffletrees assisting to lift a large block of sandstone when his foot slipped and he fell under the wagon. The horses took fright and started to run away. The front wheel passed over his chest; he turned over and the hind wheel passed over his back. At first he was not expected to live, as there was about 1500 weight on the wagon at the time; but he is making good progress towards recovery under the care of Drs. Turnbull and McCulloch.

No more tangible evidence of unalloyed confidence in the prosperity of our district, especially that attending the efforts of the farming communities, can anywhere be seen than that which can be witnessed at the Massey-Harris implement yards on High Street these days, where they have a number of experts setting up their famous binders. We hear from their local agent, J. H. Bunnell, that the number sold this year will aggregate nearly fifty, and that the company have set apart Monday, Aug. 15th, as a day for general delivery. They hope that as many of their patrons as possible will be present and accept an invitation to dinner at one of the hotels.

## THE EXCURSION

THE GREATEST SUCCESS OF ANY YEAR.

Nearly 1,000 Visit the Indian Head Experimental Farm—Moose Jaw's Contingent Numbered Nearly 600—Pleasant and Profitable Outing.

The C. P. R. employees' excursion to the Indian Head Experimental Farm on Wednesday was a great success, and in point of numbers eclipsed all previous events of this nature. That the employees made a good selection in choosing Indian Head as the place is manifest by the large number who attended. When the train left Pense a careful count showed that there were nearly 600 on board. Regina sent nearly 300 more, and Pilot Butte, Balgonie and McLean were well represented. Notwithstanding that the farmers are in the midst of haying and preparing for harvest, it was pleasing to note the large number who came from the rural districts, and this can be taken as evidence that when an opportunity was presented to visit the experimental farm, those interested were not slow in taking advantage of it. Besides the excursion brought the farmers of the district together and gave them an opportunity of discussing matters of interest to their district and their particular calling.

The train arrived at Indian Head on schedule time. Mr. Angus McKay, the genial superintendent, had teams ready to convey as many of the crowd as possible to the farm, about a mile distant. Hot water was provided and all proceeded to partake of the good things brought for the occasion. After lunch the farm, which was at its best, received a thorough inspection by the picnicers, assisted by the Superintendent and his entire staff, who devoted the day to the purpose. At 1:30 a portion of the train returned to Qu'Appelle and quite a number went back to take in the exhibition and races; but the great majority remained at the Head. The Moose Jaw brass band was in attendance and furnished the music for the occasion, while the Police band of Regina made time fly quickly at Qu'Appelle, and gave the visitors a send-off when the train pulled out at 2:00 o'clock. The train arrived here shortly after 2:30 o'clock, when all returned home well satisfied with the day's outing. Engineer Grierson and Fireman McLean, with Conductor Martin and Brakemen Alexander and Hannah were in charge. All speak highly of the way the excursion was managed.

## ITCHING, BURNING CREEPING.

Crawling, or Stinging Skin Disease Relieved in a Few Minutes by Dr. Agnew's Ointment—Price 35 cents.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves instantly and cures tetter, salt rheum, scald head, eczema, ulcers, blotches and all eruptions of the skin. It is soothing and quieting and acts like magic in all baby humors, irritation of the scalp or rash during teething time. 35 cents a box. Sold by W. W. Bole.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

Thermometrical Observations for Week Ending Thursday.

Friday	Max. 67	Min. 43
Saturday	20	42
Sunday	75	40
Monday	72	47
Tuesday	84	50
Wednesday	90	54
Thursday	70	54

Rainfall 0.235 inches.  
Total rainfall for July 1.950 inches.  
C. A. W. STRUT, Observer.

A contingent of N.W.M.P. riflemen are expected to visit our town and spend a day on the ranges in the near future.

The brass band acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following donations in addition to those published last week: J. H. Kern, \$5; D. D. McLeod, \$5.00.

## WANTED.

Agents for the greatest of Canadian books, "Life of Gladstone," memorial edition by Hopkins. Canvasser's prospectus now ready. Sells to everybody. Easy to make \$5.00 daily. Be first in the field. BRADLEY-GARRETTSON CO., LIMITED, Toronto.

## \$10.00 REWARD!

Strayed from my premises on the evening of the 12th July, a bright bay horse, five years old, branded heart over two circles on left hip, left with harness and rope; when last seen was going south-west. The above reward will be given to any party returning the same. R. BEARD, Moose Jaw. 2tf

## FARM FOR SALE!

The north-west quarter of Section 20, Township 18, Range 25, about 12 miles north-east of Moose Jaw, for sale. There is situated on the farm good farm buildings and implements, 65 acres under crop and 50 acres summer fallowed. Owner wants to live on second homestead. Apply to JNO. CARTY, Moose Jaw. 2-7pt

## WANTED.

Honest, energetic young men; farmers' sons, teachers, students, clerks and others who are admirers of Mr. Gladstone and would like to spend the next three months in selling the matchless story of his life. We teach you how to do the work and guarantee success. From \$2.00 to \$5.00 a day absolutely sure. There is no fear of failure and it will be enjoyable work. Particulars furnished free. BRADLEY-GARRETTSON CO., LIMITED, Toronto.

## THE PRESERVING SEASON

The preserving season has commenced. It will pay you to deal with the old reliable. As in former seasons our prices are the lowest in town. Leave your orders at once with J. A. Healey & Co., or at the Klondyke Supply Store.

## Thomas Healey. Under New MANAGEMENT

The undersigned wishes to announce that he has purchased the livery stable on River Street and is now conducting a first class livery, feed and sale stable. Good driving horses and handsome new buggies, single and double, to hire. Draying to all parts of the town. Terms reasonable. Patronage solicited.

## Henry Bates.

Annab's old stand.

## New Dwelling House for sale

Any one desiring a first class and commodious dwellinghouse will do well to consult me before building or buying, as I am now building a handsome residence on Main Street, which I will hold for a buyer. Easy terms and moderate cost.

R. BEARD.

Contractor and Builder.

## WOOL WANTED.

The Qu'Appelle Felt and Boot Co., Limited,

Will pay the best market price for Sheep Pelts and Wool, short preferred. Correspondence solicited. Address, Qu'Appelle Station.

## WANTED.

Board in a private house. State terms. Address MOOSE JAW TIMES.

## Apprentice Wanted.

Wanted immediately an apprentice to learn the art of printing. A good opening for a bright boy. Apply at this office.

## LOST.

Between Pasqua and Moose Jaw, about July 9th, girls grey tweed ulster and cape. Finder please return to JAS. JOHNSON, Pasqua. 4p

## STRAYED.

Onto the premises of the undersigned, s.w. 16-17-24, 1 grey mare (almost white) and 1 iron grey yearling colt. Owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. R. E. ALLOCK. 4-6p

## STRAYED.

Strayed on to the premises of the undersigned about June 1st, 1898, one black sow, white on feet and face. Owner can have same by paying expenses. W. A. HERON, Pioneer. 4-6p

## FOR SALE.

On team of heavy three-year-old geldings (wellebroke), and a second hand Brantford mower and hay rake in good working order, for sale. A splendid opportunity to get a good outfit. Apply to F. J. WALSH, Moose Jaw, Assa. 5-5p.

## STRAYED.

Strayed on to the south-west quarter of Section 24, Township 15, Range 27, on or about July 1st, one black horse, branded on left hip, left front foot white, star on forehead, small white stripe on face. Owner may recover same by proving property and paying expenses. JOHN NEWBERRY, Moose Jaw, Assa. 5-6p.

## STRAYED.

Strayed from my ranch at Eye Brow Lake about two months ago one bay team of five-year-old horses. One has four white feet to knees, spot on forehead. The other has a few white hairs on one hind foot. Both have bell brand on right side of neck and both are made docked. Information thankfully received. Any person returning them to the ranch or leaving them in Moose Jaw will be suitably rewarded. D. A. A. ROSS, Moose Jaw, Assa. 5-2tf

## M. J. MacLeod's Great Clearing Sale Still Continues.

## BOOTS & SHOES!

THIS WEEK we wish to draw your attention to the grand values we are now offering in Boots and Shoes. We have an enormous stock on hand and must clear them out. Hence the great reduction in prices—

Men's harvest boots	\$1 50	\$1 25
Men's whole foxed, seamless, hand bottomed, grain leather boots	1 90	1 50
Men's whole foxed buff boots	2 50	2 00
Men's fine dongola kid, turned oxfords	2 00	1 50
Ladies' chocolate hand turned oxfords	2 25	1 75
Ladies' oxford hand turned oxfords	2 00	1 50
Ladies' chocolate hand turned strap slippers	2 50	2 00
Ladies' fine kid turned oxfords	1 50	1 10
Ladies' dongola buttoned, patent tip	2 00	1 50

Also scores of other lines which we have reduced to clear out.

## Hats! Hats! Hats!

A Cash Discount of 25 per cent. off all lines of Hats.

A few nice Fedoras left at 75c. All our Straw Hats are going at Cost.

You cannot afford to miss this opportunity. Give us a call, get prices and you will give yourself a pleasant surprise.

M. J. MacLEOD.

The Reliable Clothier and Outfitter.

## Business Booming

At J. A. Healey & Co's.

## Why?

On account of the values we are giving in Boots and Shoes, Dry Goods, Hardware, Etc.....

A large consignment of dry goods just opened. Splendid values in all staple goods.

## IF YOU ARE GOING TO BUILD

WRITE TO

FRASER & CAMERON,  
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We are Architects and Builders.....

IT WILL PAY YOU TO CONSULT US.

## HATS MUST GO.

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## TO-DAY.

We have just opened another fresh and well-burnt kiln of the genuine

## NORTH-WEST LIME.

Why buy an inferior article when you can get this at prices to suit your pocket.

Jas. McClelland,

Plain and Ornamental Plasterer

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TWENTY-TWO & A HALF PER CENT. DISCOUNT AT